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NIGHT FINAL

Attacked By Radio Moscow Norway, Denmark Seek Help

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Weather Forecast

Thursday—Clear, with light winds; little change in temperature. Min. temperature tonight, 45; max. Thursday, 64.

1 Of 3 Desperadoes Who Fled Kingston, Minille Recaptured

OTTAWA (CP) — Nicholas Minille, one of Canada's most hunted criminals, today is behind bars.

His capture by Oakland, Calif., police after a nine months international hunt brought words of thanks from Maj.-Gen. R. B. Gibson, penitentiaries commissioner.

Gen. Gibson had been waiting for the capture since Aug. 18 when a spectacular escape over the high wall of the Kingston penitentiary set free Minille, 24, an Ottawa kidnapper; and his two bank robber companions, Donald (Mickey) McDonald, 41, and Ulysse Lauzon, 26.

The report of Minille's capture was disclosed after police at Oakland, Calif., had checked fingerprints of an apprehended burglar and found them to tally with the much-wanted man.

HUNT FOR 2 OTHERS

Police immediately began to scour the Los Angeles district in the hope of finding the other two convicts.

Meanwhile, Commissioner Gibson today said at Kingston that he was "extremely pleased" with the report of the capture and would have Royal Canadian Mounted Police officers dispatched to return the convict to his prison cell, if the United States charges against him "were not serious." Minille was serving a 17-year term; Lauzon and McDonald, 35 years.

The trio sawed their way through the bars of their cells and escaped with a rope ladder over the penitentiary wall. Disappearing between midnight and 6 a.m., they weren't missed until the morning roll-call.

In the following months they were reported at scores of places in Canada and the United States.

After the escape, a deputy warden was suspended and three officers of the Kingston prison dismissed.

Then, a few days later, the convicts' escape car was found at Guelph, Ont., and two men who robbed a Royal Bank of Canada branch at Windsor, Ont., of $40,000 were identified as Lauzon and McDonald.

On each of the three a federal government reward of $1,000 was offered.

At one time Minille was reported slain by his desperate companions near Guelph and his body disposed of on an abandoned farm near there.

Ban Slingshots

WINNIPEG (CP)—David cannot slay Goliath in Winnipeg. The City Council passed a by-law Tuesday night which prohibits use of sling-shots, bows and arrows, firearms or contrivances "for projecting or propelling any missile capable of injuring persons or property."

Today's Sports

Overnight Entries

Lincoln Fields

First race—Six furlongs:

Glory Song	111
Sweep Gold	115
Can't Catch	105
Wasp Waist	108
Bessie Vance	108
Poodoo	101
Fox Step	107
Big Wig	103
Sorta Wise	110
Andys Sis	105
Leapolino	105
Genies Mate	115
Cinder King	115
Tarawa	118
Sacaton	112
Elegant Lad	115
Slicks Girl	105
Lutie Jane	107

Second race—Six furlongs:

John's Date	104
Phastaris	101
Wartoro	111
Clevelander	111
Singh	115
Town Guy	115
Mary Like	109
Spring Polly	110
Impatience	111
Victory Breese	106
Merry Zac	101
Bertram	111
Vesuvio	111
Busy Dream	110
Tetra Rose	110

Third race—Five furlongs:

Eagle River	118
Woodland Sun	118
Vinita Toney	118
Deedee King	118
Uncle Drew	118
Ichabod	118
Favonian	118
Main Bet	115
Dorsey	118
Jack's Niece	115

Fourth race—Five furlongs:

Bonrilla	118
Wellsab	113
Hoot Mon	118
Tiger Trap	118
Fair Porter	118
Robert Y	115
†Slick Pigeon	118
Blue Note	115
†Thank You Sir	118
Jacks Town	118
Paut Vendor	118

†Entry.

Fifth race—Six furlongs:

Little X S	115
Countess In	109
True Time	109
Reighbelle	115
Back Talk	115
Markight	115
Hangup	109
Curtainbow	109
Sweet Buscuit	115
Beaukiss	115

Sixth race—Six furlongs:

Sly Tigerss	111
In Earnest	112
First Whirl	119
Nassau Son	121
Yes Now	118
Missbelitre	111
Cohat	119
Rosebed	102
Hard Held	116
Old Play	118
†Chief Command	112
†Silvery Moon	112
Spirsilla	106
Sweet Rhythm	110
Syl's Bobby	118
Luxembourger	113
Upstate	111
Royal Chap	110

†Entry.

Seventh race—Mile and an eighth:

Bolus	114
Cloy	109
Alsigal	117
Donnabrand	102
Uncle Doc	117
Obleisk	114
Boatman	114
Lucky Colonel	120

Eighth race—Mile and an eighth:

Not True	111
Oswego Dr.	110
Roy Jay	111
Firedust	114
Drybelt	107
New Caledonia	120
Scotland Yard	111
Bullsel	111
Stolen Melody	105
Gay Legend	109
Right Happy	107
Paula's Star	114
Larkmead Jane	106

Suffolk Downs

First race—Six furlongs:

Gay Kiska	106
Mumbo Jumbo	113
Petmesome	106
Caravan King	118
Maid O Mint	113
Miss Gunner	113
High Stress	113
Silk Bound	111
Equidove	113
Aunt Kate	113
Claire Dauber	106
Ring And Run	118
Needle Pan	113
Tin Watch	118
Cresson Miss	108
Small Patch	118

Second race—Five furlongs:

Poison Ivy	118
Enchanted Rock	118
Paul W	118
Sadie Brown	115
King Alla	118
Jet Power	118
Tempest Streak	118
Sylmady	115
Gayle Graff	118
Apple River	115
Gunter	118
Cotton Bud	118
Beth Be First	115

Third race—Mile and 70 yards:

Handsome Bill	111
Listing	106
Will Markham	104
Chanticleer	111
Mokup	106
Truk	111
Graniso	113
Ethel May Be	104
Garand	111
Legal Eagle	106

Fourth race—Six furlongs:

Kelspride	119
Napalm	113
Tight Grip	111
War Page	113
Merry Dick	112
Henry Payne	112
Mixer	114
Maximont	113
High Master	119
Golden Scotch	114
Big Party	119
Abim	111
Low Tension	116

Fifth race—Mile and 70 yards:

Spiteful Sue	106
Liteco	110
Gay Date	106
Miss Banned	112
Staging	115
†Steppingmiss	109
†Vailente	109

†Entry.

Sixth race—Mile and a sixteenth:

Shadow Shot	109
Bell The aCt	111
Black Knave	118
Apropriado	111
Camps First	111
Belrate	109
Misleader	111

Seventh race—Mile and an eighth:

Umbriago	111
Harsam	99
Knighthod	109
Pompagie	111
Lostahat	111
Diatribe	106
Rosemere Dee	112

Eighth race—Mile and three-sixteenths:

Hyflare	109
Alcinous	111
Brooklandville	111
Magnesium	111
Nebraska	111
Murex	111
Sanscrito	109
Ted Mosquero	104
Nervesta	106

Today's Results At Lincoln Fields

First Race—

Vinita Major	$8.60	$4.00	$3.20
Atlantic City		3.80	2.80
Charivari			4.40

Scratched: Pene, Cudiddle, In Abeyance, Amberley, Bold Front, Iron Sweep.

Second Race—

Parson Brown	$57.20	$18.40	$8.60
Dora M		11.60	7.00
Velvet Heels			3.80

Third Race—

Mint Quest	$14.60	$4.60	$3.80
Sugar Beet		3.00	2.40
Tiger Tom			3.00

Scratched: Big Casino, Equate.

Fourth Race—

Eagle Look	$2.60	$2.20	$2.20
Kaslick		3.40	2.20
Tristep			2.20

Scratched: None.

Fifth Race—

Sandstorm	$19.60	$10.40	$7.40
Jessie's Beau		5.80	5.00
Sky Manager			5.60

Scratched: None.

Sixth Race—

Mel Hash	$3.80	$3.00	$2.20
Caillou Rouge		4.60	2.60
Safety First			2.40

Scratched: Elkhorn, Wickers Wash.

Suffolk Results

First Race—

Cravache	$106.20	$24.80	$14.80
Tascosa		3.40	2.40
Invermark Girl			4.00

Scratched: Bad Cold, Skippy's Lad, Mug Nath.

Second Race—

Freddie's Pal	$7.20	$3.80	$3.20
Count Lovely		2.20	2.60
Ortetra			7.40

Scratched: Djatribe, J. J. Lynch, Low Tension.

Third Race—

Justinian II	$13.60	$5.00	$3.80
Able		3.20	2.60
Mackably			8.00

Scratched: None.

Fourth Race—

Blenweed	$4.80	$3.60	$3.00
Dagon		6.60	4.20
Wise Brunette			3.80

Scratched: None.

Fifth Race—

Shaffie	$6.00	$4.00	$2.80
Ariel Actress		6.40	3.60
Gunnison			2.60

Scratched: Hat Girl.

Sixth Race—

Mr. Dumjohn	$17.20	$8.20	—
Nene Pobre		5.60	—
Red Tag			—

Scratched: Joby K.

Seventh Race—

Decision	$4.60	$3.00	$2.40
Celtics		7.20	4.00
Brave Bid			2.80

Scratched: None.

Eighth Race—

Shavo	$15.40	$7.40	$5.40
Penetrator		6.20	4.60
Penny Packer			7.60

Scratched: Renraw.

O.C. Cricket

OXFORD, Eng. (Reuter)—W. A. Brown scored 108, his third successive century, for the Australians who scored 404 for eight wickets in their first innings against Oxford University in a three-day match which began here today.

At Lords Denis Compton, scoring 252 not out, and Bill Edrich, 168 not out, were associated today in an English third-wicket record partnership of 424 unfinished—only 21 runs short of the world third-wicket record—when batting for Middlesex against Somerset.

The previous third-wicket record in English cricket was 375, by J. W. Hearne (232) and E. Hendren (177 not out) for Middlesex against Hampshire at Southampton.

Compton was making the highest score of his career, his previous best having been 246 last season.

End of play scores:

Middlesex vs. Somerset—Middlesex first innings 478 for two wickets declared, Somerset first innings 21 for two wickets.

Eessex vs. Nottinghamshire—Nottinghamshire first innings 371, Essex first innings 87 for two wickets.

Gloucestershire vs. Sussex — Gloucestershire first innings 224, Sussex first innings 95 for four wickets.

Hampshire vs Derbyshire—Derbyshire first innings 425 for six wickets.

Lancashire vs. Glamorgan — Glamorgan first innings 193, Lancashire first innings 89 for four wickets.

Leicestershire vs. Surrey—Surrey first innings 499 for six wickets.

Warwickshire vs. Yorkshire—Warwickshire first innings 184, Yorkshire first innings 81 for two.

Cambridge University vs. Northamptonshire — Northamptonshire first innings 317 for six wickets.

Worcestershire vs. Royal Air Force—Worcestershire first innings 347, Royal Air Force first innings 51 for no wickets.

Bottle Babe

Shirley Kimball—Miss World Trade—stops off at the U.S. Navy's hydrographic office in San Francisco to see the two one-way bottles which came back from a 10,000-mile trip across the Pacific. The bottles, containing messages, were dropped from an airliner to test the flow of ocean currents. The two which Shirley displays were picked up in the Philippines after drifting more than 2,000 miles.

Sign Fred Stinson

CALGARY (CP)—Officials of the Calgary Buffaloes in the Alberta Big Four baseball league, announced the signing Tuesday of Fred Stinson, second baseman from Port Haney, B.C.

Stinson, who played for Victoria last season, will be in the line-up for tonight's encounter with Calgary Purity.

Hogan Sets Pace

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Bantam Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., fired a five-under-par 66 to pace the early finishers in the opening 18 holes of qualifying play in the Professional Golfers' Association tournament today. He was out in 32 and made the incoming nine in 34.

Today's Baseball

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	4	0
Detroit	4	5	5

Kinder and Tebbetts; Newhouser and Wagner.

	R.	H.	E.
Washington	4	10	1
Chicago	1	7	0

Masterson and Early; Haynes, Judson (8), Caldwell (9) and Robinson.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	8	13	0
St. Louis	4	12	0

Lopat and Berra; Sanford, Gerheauser (7), Dreisewerd (9) and Partee, Moss (9).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	0	7	0
New York	5	8	1

Peterson, Lively (7) and Lamanno; Jansen and Livingston.

Hagana Troops Show Their Colors

Carrying the official flag of the new Jewish state of Palestine, Hagana troops were staging a dress parade in Jerusalem when this picture was taken. Quickly the scene has changed. Today the Associated Press reported Arab troops had driven more than half-way through the old city of Jerusalem.—NEA-Acme telephoto.

160 Families Taken To The Pas From River Flood Area

WINNIPEG (CP) — With the triangle of land between The Pas and the Carrot River west of the town becoming a continuous lake, farmers today were considering whether to ship their beef cattle to pasture lands elsewhere or to send them south to Winnipeg for slaughter.

The Carrot River valley, 330 miles northwest of here, has suffered another four-inch rise in flood waters of the Saskatchewan River. Bargeloads of cows and horses are being brought into The Pas. But much of the feed available is being held for milk herds; an acute shortage of feed is expected shortly.

Water is spilling over the banks of the three rivers in the area—the Saskatchewan, Pas and Carrot. Government officials predict the levels will rise still further, and have urged farmers to evacuate their stock immediately.

TO SHIP 200 CATTLE

Sidney Wilton, at whose home near Mile 14 on the Carrot River Highway a number of farmers met Tuesday, plans to ship 200 beef cattle in for slaughter. Others may follow suit, with the result that Manitoba's "baby" farming area may be denuded of livestock as well as field crops.

About 160 families have moved into The Pas. They were evacuated from the south side of the Carrot River.

Recognized By Nicaragua

MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP)—Nicaragua today became the eighth country to recognize the new Hebrew state of Israel. The others are the United States, Guatemala, Russia, Uruguay, Poland, Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia.

Morrison Says Britain To Do Anything She Can To End War

SCARBOROUGH, Yorkshire, Eng. (Reuter) — Herbert Morrison, deputy prime minister, pledged today that if the British government could do anythiing to end the bloodshed in Palestine, it would take every opportunity of doing so.

He was speaking on the third day of the annual conference of the Labor Party.

Morrison was careful not to commit the government either on the question of the Jewish state or on the British attitude towards the Arab invasion, which a Jewish delegate had raised.

But he made a point of emphasizing that British Labor had always been in favor of the establishment of a Jewish home and gave high praise to the Socialistic spirit of the Jewish agricultural settlements in Palestine which now are under attack.

(In London, almost as Morrison spoke, a Foreign Office spokesman said Britain will continue to give financial aid and military equipment to Trans - Jordan's Arab Legion and other Arab countries "unless and until the United Nations finds these countries have been acting illegally in Palestine."

(The spokesman added Britain was studying an appeal from Foreign Minister Moshe Shertok that Britain recognize the new Jewish state of Israel. It is believed Britain will not recognize Israel while events in Palestine remain fluid.)

"We hope that successful establishment of a Jewish home in Palestine may come about when the present troubles are passed," Morrison said. "We have worked for it, we have advocated it, and we have no reason to think otherwise than what we formerly thought about it."

The government had made every effort to settle the Palestine problem. British withdrawal had been insisted on by British public opinion.

Fighting of a "somewhat different character" now was taking place in Palestine and he thought there was no point in indulging in recriminations about the past.

"There must come a time when that fighting and bloodshed will cease and if our government can do anything to terminate the unhappy bloodshed they will take every opportunity of doing so.

"I would like to send an appeal to the Jews and Arabs in Palestine and in the Middle East, both of whom have such a long history behind them. I would beg of them to try and come together, try to co-operate for the good of that land."

Burnt-Out Pension To Stand At $40

OTTAWA (CP) — The Commons committe on veterans' affairs Tuesday saw a Liberal majority defeat a motion to increase maximum war veterans' allowances from $30 to $50 a month for single recipients and from $60 to $85 for married men.

The vote was 11 to 10.

The allowances benefit 29,000 aged and needy veterans and their widows and orphans at an annual cost of $15,113,000. They were designed as a social security measure to aid "burnt-out" or prematurely-aged veterans.

The motion was made by G. S. White, P.C., Hastings-Peterborough, Ont., and would have recommended to the cabinet the amounts asked by the Canadian Legion. The government, in a bill now before the committee, proposes supplementary allowances that would raise the ceilings to $40 and $70.

Appeal To U.S. For Armaments To Aid Defence

WASHINGTON (AP) — Norway and Denmark have appealed to the United States for arms and ammunition to bolster their defences, government officials said today.

The officials, who cannot be identified, reported the administration is giving these requests "sympathetic consideration."

Both countries were the targets of repeated attacks by Radio Moscow recently.

In Washington today, U.S. State Secretary Marshall, asked whether he had noted any recent increase in Russian co-operation toward solving problems before the United Nations and other international bodies, said there has not been much opportunity.

Marshall was asked whether he sees any improvement in conditions in Berlin, Austria or Korea now or whether the Russians simply appear to be standing still in those areas where east-west interests clashed directly.

Marshall said in effect:

What the world needs so urgently is constructive and remedial action particularly in the areas or bodies implied by the question. The sincerity of the stated desire of the Soviet government as expressed by Premier Stalin will be determined by their attitude in these various bodies on negotiations now under way where progress has been prevented by the Soviet position.

In answer to the specific question, Marshall said there has been no indication of progress since the recent interchange between Smith and Molotov or since Stalin's statement.

Today's Final Prices On Vancouver Market

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS—		
Anaconda	12	12½
Anglo-Canadian	293	295
Atlantic	31	32
A.P. Con.	19½	—
British Dominion	31½	
C. and E. Corp.	705	715
Calmont	56	58
Calmont Leduc	21½	—
Central Leduc	36	37
Commoil	35	—
Commonwealth	53	60
Dalhousie	46	50
East Leduc	43½	—
Foothills	300	
Highwood Sarcee	10¼	11
Home Oil	915	925
Leduc West	100	103
Mercury	13½	—
McDougall Segur	11	11¼
Model	27	28
National Pete.	23½	28
Okalta	163	165
Globe	73	74
Pacific Pete.	111	123
Royal Canadian	10¼	10¾
Vanalta	16	17
Vulcan	28	—
Sunset	8	8½
Superior	30	—
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	—	5
Bralorne	900	925
Bridge River Con.	3	4
B.R.X. (1935)	—	7
Canusa Cariboo	13	14½
Cariboo Gold	167	180
Congress	3¾	4
George Copper	—	12½
Golconda	8	—
Grandview	22	25
Grull Wihksne	4	—
Hedley Mascot	49	53
Highland Belle	71	77
Island Mountain	110	115
Minto	1½	—
Pacific Nickel	9¾	10
Pend Oreille	435	445
Pioneer Gold	305	310
Premier Border	3	4
Privateer	21	22
Quatsino Copper	5½	—
Reeves McDonald	195	210
Reno Gold	8½	—
Salmon Gold	15	16
Sheep Creek	108	—
Silbak Premier	36	39
Silver Ridge	16	20
Taylor Bridge	40	50
Utica	16	16½
Wellington	2	3
INDUSTRIALS—		
B.C. Forest Products	—	4¾
B.C. Turf	72	80
Canadian Western Lumber	440	450
Capital Estates	910	950
Coast Breweries	325	330
H. R. MacMillan A	1000	—
Do. B	800	850
Pacific Coyle	90	100
Powell River	43¾	4375
Westminster Paper	1900	—

RUSTY RILEY — **By Frank Godwin**

Stern Budget Based On Plan To Cut Debt In Prosperity

OTTAWA (CP) — Canada today has a stern budget, offering no general taxation reduction, and based on the principle of paying off debt in times of prosperity.

Finance Minister Abbott, giving his annual accounting to the Commons Tuesday night, recited the cost of two wars and the widening responsibility of government, and said:

"We must be prepared to pay the price and it is in our budgets that that price is brought home to us."

In all, he reduced taxes by an estimated $56,200,000 in a full year, compared with $265,000,000 in last year's budget, and reduced customs tariffs by some $15,000,000 or $17,000,000 a year. The loss of revenue in 1947-48 is expected to total about $60,000,000.

The sales tax of 8 per cent has been taken off virtually all items of food which are not now exempt, accounting for $20,000,000 of the yearly tax cut. These items are largely canned, packaged, processed or otherwise prepared foods, and Mr. Abbott expressed hope that the cut will result in a reduction of prices as soon as it can be passed along to consumers. However, no refunds will be made on goods now in the hands of storekeepers.

Taxes on amusements and pari-mutuel betting are removed, at an estimated annual cost of $23,500,000, as far as the federal government is concerned. These were 20 per cent on theatre admissions, 25 per cent on other places of amusement, and 5 per cent on the pari-mutuels.

Estates under $50,000 will not pay inheritance taxes apart from provincial imposts in Ontario and Quebec; and bequests to charity, formerly exempt up to 50 per cent, now will be exempt in full.

INCOME TAX

Persons 65 and over get for this year an added income tax exemption of 500. Income tax allowances now granted to mining, oil and gas industries for exploration purposes are extended through 1949.

Though the limited concessions will apply to a considerable number of people, the lack of an over-all reduction was interpreted by some observers to mean that a general election is not likely this year. However, Mr. Abbott in effect warned against optimism in regard to future budgets: "With the public demand there is today for additional government responsibilities and expenditures in many fields, we must anticipate large budgets in future, and we cannot lightly reduce taxation in any field," said Mr. Abbott. "Those who advocate increased expenditure should bear in mind the weight of our budgetary problems in the future."

The greater part of the Canadian tariff stands as amended under the Geneva trade agreements and the relatively few changes made are designed to assist textile imports from Britain and the entry of machinery, especially for mining, but to some extent for building and dairy products.

The British preferential tariff on cotton and rayon piece goods is suspended until June 30, 1949, with the purpose of lowering their price range to Canadian buyers, and the United Kingdom will take all possible steps to see that the target for shipment to Canada of 80,000,000 yards of cotton goods in 1948 is met.

Also, certain goods may be exempt from special dumping duties, if it is decided that their importation is necessary. The 3 per cent excise tax on imports from general tariff countries, now largely a dead letter, is repealed.

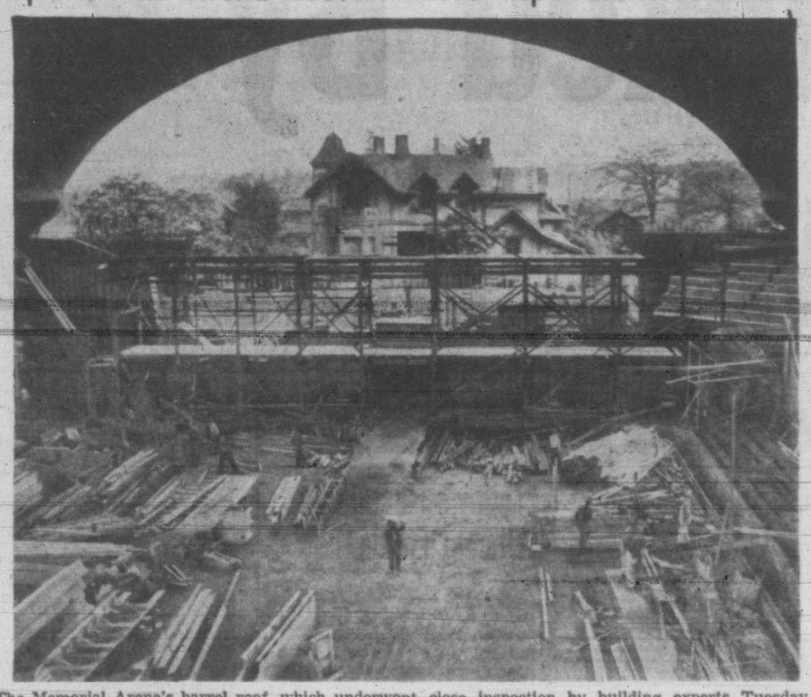
Various minor changes are made. Such as removal of the 25 per cent sales tax on silver-plated cutlery. No reductions are given for liquor, tobacco, candy bars or soft drinks.

All income tax changes are effective from Jan. 1 and other changes today.

Boy In Truck Killed

Norman Evans, 16, was fatally injured Tuesday while riding on the running board of a truck at Nakusp, B.C. A report received at B.C. Police headquarters here said he died in the Nakusp hospital at 8.30 in the evening from severe head injuries.

Experts Pass Arena Roof In Close Inspection



The Memorial Arena's barrel roof, which underwent close inspection by building experts Tuesday before the city settled its bill with the contractors, frames this unusual picture taken from the top of the city fire department's aerial ladder.

An inspection of the reinforced-concrete barrel roof of the Memorial Arena, carried out with the aid of the city fire department, showed the structure to be in good condition.

Ald. Waldo Skillings, chairman of the city's arena committee, said the nod of approval was given by C. T. Hamilton, Vancouver consulting engineer in the project, and J. W. Oosterink, city building inspector.

Both had a close look at the arena roof, interior and exterior, atop the fire department's hydraulic aerial ladder. The fire truck was rolled inside the rink for the inspection.

Ald. Skillings said the committee wanted Mr. Hamilton and Mr. Oosterink to inspect the roof carefully before the committee settled an $800 bill with the contractors, Bennet and White Construction Company.

Impossible To Leave Arena Half Finished, Mayor Says In Appeal

"It must be obvious to every citizen that it is impossible to leave our memorial ice arena half finished . . ."

The statement was made by Mayor Percy George today in an appeal to taxpayers to go to the polls next Thursday and vote in favor of the city borrowing $325,000 to complete construction of the rink.

Charles T. Hamilton, Vancouver consulting engineer in the project, has assured the city that the $325,000 asked is sufficient to finish the rink.

He has promised the city also that if the money is provided, the arena will be open and in operation by the end of the year.

Mayor George said he feels the arena will pay dividends in physical and moral well-being of the citizens using it.

"This will amply repay our financial outlay," he said, continuing:

"For many years Victoria has been widely advertised as a tourist city. There will be no finer year-round attraction than our Memorial Arena and no finer place for our young people to gather and enjoy healthful exercise.

"The arena is one of our greatest needs . . . it will keep our boys and girls off the streets."

SECOND TO NONE

Mayor George said the rink will be second to none in Canada, and few rinks in the United States will compare with it.

"It will be a project of which we can be proud," he declared.

He said the financial cost will be much greater than anticipated, but it was not the city's fault that costs have risen as high as they have.

"We've got the arena more than half completed and it must be finished in view of the investment we already have made," Mayor George said.

Victoria Eagles Win Ritual Competition

Officers of the Victoria Eagles, during the week-end, brought back the Washington State ritual championship to B.C. after competitions in Bremerton. This is the first defeat handed the Bremerton Aerie 192 in over 15 years. Victoria scored 62½ points out of a possible 65. Bremerton scored 60½. Victoria will compete for the B.C. championship at Nanaimo in June. Victoria team representatives are junior past president "Cec" Holt, vice-president E. Mottishaw, chaplain J. Rose, conductor F. Rockett and inside guard N. Robertson.

The members were entertained by the Bremerton Aerie, and will return the invitation this week-end when the Bremerton drill team and band arrive here for the May 24th celebrations and parade.

B.C. Forest Production Headed For Record, 3-Month Figures Show

British Columbia's forest production for this year is headed for another record-smashing high, it is indicated in statistics released today by the B.C. Forest Service.

The figures for production during the first three months of this year showed the log scale at 762,484,174 F.B.M. and 218,026.50 cubic feet. During the corresponding period of 1947 production was 721,002,257 F.B.M. At that time no timber was measured in cubic feet.

Also produced during the first three months of this year were 6,794,590 lineal feet of poles, 29,202 cords of fuel wood and 107,370 hewn ties. Pole production for the corresponding 1947 period was 12,745,427 lineal feet, while fuel production was 35,811 cords and hewn tie production 100,727.

Greatest threats to a new record production in 1948 at the present time are a tie-up of the lumber industry by strike of the International Woodworkers of America (C.I.O. - C.C.L.) and through closure of the forests because of summer fire hazards.

During March production totaled 273,369,362 F.B.M. and 53,447.00 cubic feet. The log scale in March of last year was 290,605,779 F.B.M.

Pole production was down from 6,072,770 lineal feet in March, 1947, to 1,650,765 lineal feet last March. Fuel wood production was up slightly and hewn tie output more than doubled.

Following the previous trend the Vancouver forest district which includes all Vancouver Island produced more than half the total March output of the province. The log scale was 182,192,673 F.B.M. and 53,447.00 cubic feet.

The breakdown of the log scale by main species cut in March in the Vancouver forest district is as follows: Fir 80,075,995 F.B.M.; hemlock 46,398,836 F.B.M.; and 53,447.00 cubic feet; cedar 37,581,299 F.B.M.; balsam 11,870,552 F.B.M. and spruce 3,233,514 F.B.M.

Saanich No. 2 Fire Hall Has First Major Job

Saanich No. 2 firehall had its first major job since starting operations on May 1 Tuesday evening. Firemen attended on West Saanich Road, near the West Saanich Auto Court, and quashed the municipality's first bush fire of 1948. The hall's men and equipment were on the job for 90 minutes. This was the third alarm answered by the hall.

With the drier months here, Fire Chief Joseph Law of the Saanich Fire Department today urged the motoring public to refrain from throwing cigarette butts from their vehicles while traveling the highways. Many serious fires in bush, grass and timbered country have been caused by this habit, he points out.

Stucco Addition To Cowichan Hotel

LAKE COWICHAN—The new addition to the Riverside Inn here, is now being stuccoed and will increase the hotel room space from the original nine rooms in the old building to a total of 30.

The addition is stepped, with flat top to permit full view of the lake, and a balcony leading from the second floor, faces the river. Many small and old buildings at the rear of the hotel have been torn down and the grounds will be terraced to the river, with boating facilities available at that point.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Afternoon tea will be served in the Douglas Room of the Hudson's Bay Co., 2.30 to 5, Thursday, May 20. To be opened by Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A. Soloist, Mrs. F. G. Carver; pianist, Mrs. J. Cruikshank, in aid of Victoria Girls' Drill Team. Everybody welcome. ***

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Chiropodist, W. J. Fraser, D.S.C., 201 Pemberton Bldg. B 3252. ***

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Knights of Pythias public speaking contest, B.C. finals. Also display of Sunshine Girls' Drill Team and Pythian Sisters Degree staff competition, Thursday, May 20, 8 p.m., lower Crystal Ballroom. Tickets, 50c.

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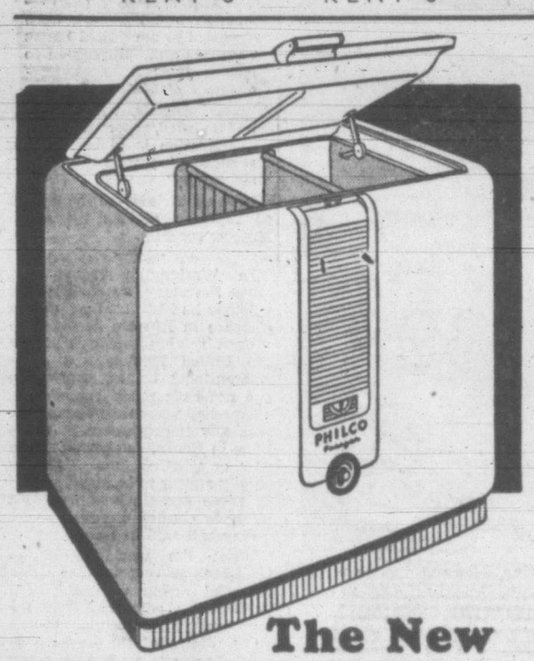

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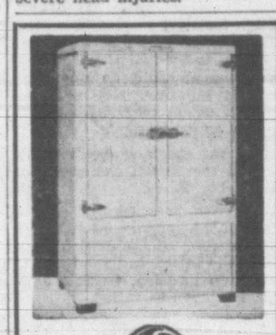

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Arabs Holding Over Half Of Old City Of Jerusalem

WITHIN THE OLD CITY OF JERUSALEM (AP)—Arab forces had driven more than half way through the Jewish quarter of the old city of Jerusalem today.

About 400 Jewish soldiers of Hagana and Irgun Zvai Leumi were reported on the verge of surrender. The guns of the Trans-Jordan Arab Legion and Palestinian volunteers are pounding many Hagana positions in the remainder of Jerusalem.

The Jewish garrison in the old city attempted to bargain with the command of the Arab volunteers over surrender terms this morning. When no decision was reached, the Arab bombardment was resumed.

Pinpointing Jewish military targets in scattered modern sections of the Holy City, Arab artillery is reported to have battered the Montefiore quarter, hit an ammunition dump near the military court house in Behovia and hit another ammunition dump at the Syrian orphanage.

BUILDING ATTACKED

Heavy fire was directed at the David Building, used by Hagana as an observation post. The five-story building formerly was the press headquarters of the British mandate government.

Infantrymen of King Abdullah's Arab legion and local volunteers have pressed forward into the Sheik Jarrah quarter on the heels of retreating Hagana forces.

Mount Scopus is largely in Arab hands, except the Hadassah hospital and the Hebrew University, where Hagana units are still stationed.

Since the entry of the Trans-Jordan troops into Jerusalem Tuesday the battle tide has turned. Arab forces have cleared the Jews from the crescent-shaped area around the old city, including Wadi Joz, Herod's Gate, Jebeltur and Mount Zion, except for one position.

Jews Report Different Version

TEL AVIV (CP) — A Hagana communique said today Jewish forces broke into the old city of Jerusalem in fierce midnight fighting and linked up with Jewish forces isolated there.

The communique added that the bridgehead into the old city was subsequently widened.

The communique was issued at the same time as a Cairo spokesman for the Arab League said Arab troops were in complete control of Jerusalem and that all Jews in the Holy City had surrendered to the Trans-Jordan Arab legion.

There was no immediate word from the embattled city itself, where communications were uncertain. Latest reports from Daniel de Luce of the Associated Press, who is with the Arab Legion, said the legion appeared set to wrest Jerusalem from the Jewish defenders.

The Hagana communique also announced:

Jewish forces evacuated the village of Hatrouf near Jerusalem.

The Arabs were repulsed Tuesday in their attack on Kefar Sava, which the Jews occupied two days ago.

Negba, northern settlement of Negeb (the southern desert) was attacked from the air Tuesday without casualties.

El Kubleba, south of Rehobot, was captured Tuesday by the Jews.

Jewish forces, which Tuesday captured Kabob el Hawa, south of the Sea of Galilee, repulsed Tuesday night two Arab attempts to recapture the village. Thirty Arabs were killed.

Conference On Coal Contract In U.S. Broken

WASHINGTON (AP) — Contract negotiations between John L. Lewis, leader of the United Mine Workers (Ind.) and the coal operators of the United States collapsed today.

The two-day-old wage talks broke up over the issue of seating Joseph E. Moody, president of the Southern Coal Producers' Association, in the conference.

The operators voted to seat Moody, and the U.M.W. voted against it. A vote then was taken on a union proposal to go ahead with conferences covering the balance of the industry.

The operators opposed that. The union voted for it.

Lewis got to his feet and said: "I make the observation that there is now no conference.

"The operators have voted themselves and the mine workers out of a conference.

"The United Mine Workers' policy committee will meet at 10 a.m. tomorrow."

CONTRACT ENDS JUNE 30

The unions present wage agreement is set to expire June 30. Traditionally, the miners have refused to work without a contract.

The fight over seating Moody started Tuesday. While Lewis did not make a direct threat of a strike because of what he called a breach of contract, that possibility existed nevertheless.

His call for a meeting of the U.M.W.'s 200-man policy committee tomorrow indicated he has some move in mind.

The union still is under a court injunction prohibiting renewal of the recent strike over pensions for miners, but the court might rule that another walkout would be a new dispute. In such a case, a new injunction might have to be sought by the federal government under the Taft-Hartley Act procedure.

No Cuts In Prices Of Foods Expected For About 30 Days

Housewives probably won't see any change in prices of foodstuffs on the shelves of local stores for a month despite Finance Minister Abbott's repeal of the 8 per cent sales tax on many food items.

This is what local wholesale grocers said in a survey by The Victoria Times today on the effect of the food clause in the new Dominion budget on grocery shoppers' pocketbooks.

The expected 30-day delay in the lowering of food prices is due to the amount of stock wholesalers have on hand.

"There won't be any lowering of prices on stock we already have in our warehouses and most of us have about a month's supply," one wholesaler said.

It is possible, in fact probable, that some food items will be cheaper before present stocks have been depleted.

Why? Some manufacturers may reimburse wholesalers on their floor stocks.

"But we are not sure of this and can only wait and see what happens," a wholesaler said.

ABOUT 5 PER CENT CUT

Another warned shoppers not to expect the full 8 per cent cut in prices. He estimated the decrease would amount to about 5 per cent and explained:

"The 8 per cent tax which is being repealed is deducted at source. Many items affected by the budget announcement are manufactured in eastern Canada and freighted west. By the time the manufacturer makes a profit, freight charges have been paid, and we take our share, the reduction in cost to west coast consumers will be less than the reduction at source."

Most cereals, soups and syrups are manufactured in the east, he said.

John Stuart, proprietor of Stuart's Meat Market, said price reductions of from 5 to 6 cents a pound could be expected to come during the next week or two on processed meets through removal of the 8 per cent sales tax.

It is likely that bacon and ham will drop from 5 to 6 cents a pound almost immediately, other sources revealed.

Chiang's Forces Lose

NANKING (AP) — Government forces have suffered a setback in the rich Han River valley, lost Linfen in Shansi province, and repulsed a Red raid on a Peiping suburb, it was reported today. Great stores of food and gasoline fell to Communist forces when Red Gen. Liu Po-cheng captured Laohokow, 200 miles northwest of the big government base of Hankow.

B.C. May Be Chosen Site Of Huge Aluminum Plant

Top officials of the Aluminum Company of Canada Ltd., at the request of the provincial government, shortly will look over three power sites on the British Columbia coast for suitability of establishing an aluminum plant here of a size comparable with Arvida, the world's largest aluminum works.

Last fall Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney and his deputy, George Melrose, visited the Arvida plant and asked officials of the company to look into the power potentialities of the province with the aim of establishing a plant here.

R. E. Powell, president of the company, is expected here Thursday. McNeely DuBose, vice-president of the company, now is in Victoria, staying at the Empress Hotel.

The company officials, accompanied by Mr. Kenney and Mr. Melrose and others, plan to leave Saturday. They will investigate three large possible power sites, each with a potential gross in the neighborhood of 1,000,000 horsepower.

The sites are:

1. Chilco-Taseko, with a possible development at the head of Bute inlet.

2. Eutsum-Kimsquit, at the head of Dean Channel.

3. Taktsa-Kemano, at the head of Gardiner Canal.

The cost of developing the full potentials of these power sites and the building of an aluminum plant and town for the workers and others would run into several hundred million dollars.

Dependent on cheap power establishment of aluminum industries requires a huge power development so that the cost per unit may be kept at a feasible low.

1,083,000 HORSEPOWER

Present studies of the power sites suggest that the Bute inlet site is perhaps the most favorable to the company's requirements. Its potential gross horsepower is estimated at 1,083,000. This would provide perhaps a net of 850,000 horsepower for the company's plant.

Eutsum-Kimsquit is estimated to have a potential gross power of 910,000 horsepower while the potential of Thtsa-Kemano is estimated at 845,000 horsepowed.

Production of an aluminum plant using 1,000,000 horsepower would be about 250,000 tons a year. At present prices the value of such an otput would be about $80,000,000 annually.

Operation of an industry which would use the full power resources of any one of these sites would require a labor force of perhaps 7,000 workers.

A city of perhaps 20,000 population could be expected to grow up as a result of the development.

If other industries were attracted to the site by cheap power surpluses a city of 50,000 could be expected.

Present sources of bauxtie, the ore from which aluminum is extracted by electric processes, are in British and French Guiana, the Gold Coast of Africa; Jamaica, the Malaya Peninsula, the Philippine Islands and the Caroline Islands. The source of the south western Pacific would prove the most convenient for a development on the B.C. coast.

24-Hour Mail Delay Owing To Slides In Mountains

Slides in the Rockies are responsible for a 24-hour delay in the mails from all points east of the Rockies, according to announcement from the Post Office at Victoria today.

Very little eastern mail came in this morning and the Post Office has not yet been advised when the bulk of the delayed mail will arrive.

Once it is en route a signal will be sent from Vancouver and all provisions will be made to have the mail delivered immediately it reaches Victoria. A double shift will be put on to handle it.

All Vancouver and B.C. mail is normal.

Theatre-Goers Start Paying Into Hospital Insurance Fund

British Columbians, when attending motion picture theatres and other places of amusement, today began making substantial contributions toward the government's compulsory hospital insurance scheme.

The provincial cabinet early this afternoon met to proclaim the Amusements Tax Act, 1948, which provides for the taking over of the 20 per cent amusement tax which the federal government abandoned today.

The Amusement Tax Act, 1948, provides for a 25 per cent tax on amusements. This represents the 20 per cent collected previously by the federal government and the 5 per cent collected by the provincial government.

Four-fifths of the total net revenue received under the act will be paid from the province's general revenue funds into the hospital insurance fund — the operating fund from which the compulsory hospital insurance scheme will be financed.

WILL CUT PREMIUMS

The taking over the tax means that the premiums which British Columbians will pay for their hospitalization scheme may be substantially reduced. The premium rate structure has not yet been fixed although the hospital insurance act provides that the levy for a family may not exceed $33 per year.

The present 5 per cent provincial tax on amusements will continue to go into the general revenue of the province. It is estimated that the federal share of the amusement tax which the province is taking over will produce $1,250,000 annually.

The hospital insurance scheme, the offspring of the Legislature during the session which ended recently, will probably get under way on next Jan. 1. It is anticipated that the collection of premiums may start in the fall.

PARI-MUTUEL NEXT

The provincial government also has proclaimed the Pari-Mutuel Betting Tax Act, 1948, which provides for a 12 per cent levy instead of the present 7 per cent levy on pari-mutuel bets at racetracks. Thus the province will also take over the 5 per cent federal pari-mutuel tax which the federal government abandoned today.

Under the act the Minister of Finance is empowered to allow the operator or any other person such commission on the tax collected as may be fixed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

Thus the province may make a grant to the race tracks, which have claimed they are facing financial difficulties, out of the pari mutuel tax. There is no official indication what part of the tax this will be.

Taking over the federal pari mutuel tax is expected to swell the provincial revenues by $350,000 annually.

B.C. To Get $25,806,000 Under Federal Health Plan

VANCOUVER (CP) — Health Minister Martin today assessed British Columbia's benefits under the national health program as $25,806,000 over a 10-year period.

Of that sum, roughly $5,000,000 will be allotted to hospital construction during the first five years, with an additional $5,000,000 in the remaining five years.

Total B.C. grants to the end of five years are estimated at $13,579,000.

All provinces will receive grants on a per capita basis, Mr. Martin explained.

"The fact that the per capita distribution of the grants is to be based on the 1947 population of B.C., rather than on an earlier figure, means B.C. will get the full advantage of her rapid increase in population," he pointed out.

The health plan was first contemplated in relation to 1941 population figures.

B.C. GAINS MOST

"This revision represents a greater advantage to B.C. than to any other province," he said.

Over all, the scheme will make available $150,000,000 for the promotion of Canadian health in the first five years. "This is four times the government's present expenditure. Annual cost of the scheme will begin at $17,500,000, and rise to $22,000,000. Added to yearly expenditures will be the initial fixed grant of $625,000, available to the provinces on a per capita basis for a survey of their particular health needs.

INCREASE WITH YEARS

The scheme breaks down into:

1. An annual public health grant of $4,000,000, increasing to $4,500,000 within five years. Research in polio, arthritis and other fields will be included in this.

2. An annual anti-tuberculosis grant of $3,000,000 in an all-out drive to stamp out T.B.

3. A permanent annual grant of $4,000,000, increasing to as much as $7,000,000 for mental health services, which now are needed by one-third to one-half of our population.

4. An annual grant of $500,000 for the control of venereal disease.

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6. An annual professional training grant of $500,000 to provide desperately-needed trained personnel.

7. An annual grant for continued research in public health needs, providing $100,000 and increasing to $500,000.

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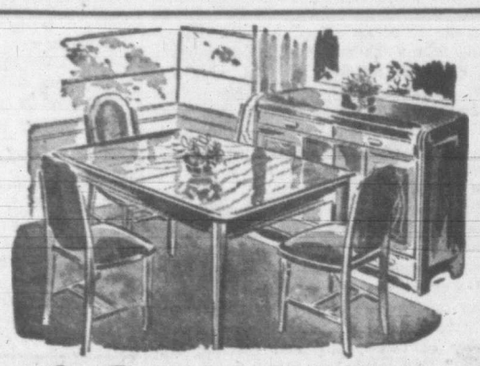

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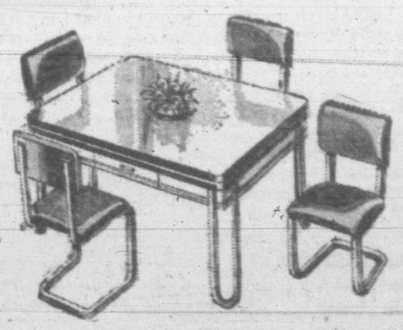

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POLITICALLY COURAGEOUS

MANY CANADIANS WILL BE DISAPpointed that Mr. Abbott has not found it desirable to reduce the personal income tax in his latest budget. None will be surprised at this natural reaction. Our people have noted the pride with which the Minister of Finance has pointed to his very substantial surplus. But the guardian of the national till is obviously an economic realist first and a political opportunist second. He is thoroughly familiar with the details of the federal ledger—what the Dominion's obligations are, what they will be like in the future, and is obviously apprehensive of such contingencies of an unpredictable nature as may have to be met later on.

While there is to be no income tax relief for those citizens under 65 years of age, other concessions which Mr. Abbott has found it judicious to make in the general tax structure can be included in the ameliorative category, even if they cannot be regarded as spectacular. It is plain to the Minister of Finance, as it is to the average intelligent person, that a public debt of some $14,000,000,000, requiring as it does a vast sum in annual interest to service, will not be liquidated if the sources of revenue are progressively restricted. Bills are not paid by wishful thinking. And it ought to be remembered by the Canadian people that this country has weathered two world wars as well as the wealthiest nations and a great deal better than many others.

After the people of Canada have digested the many details of Mr. Abbott's budget—especially those of this capital city of British Columbia—they assuredly will have reached the conclusion that the time to put away that traditional "little bit" for the potential "rainy day" is when money in the pockets of the populace is relatively plentiful. And accounts standing to the credit of Canadians in their chartered banks, whether savings or current, are greater at this stage of the nation's progress than at any time in history. Some may not like to be reminded of this fact because they had hoped the Minister of Finance would assist them further to increase their holdings. It is not necessary, of course, to embellish this psychological point.

Let us reduce this politically-courageous budget which Mr. Abbott has presented to the national forum to local application. In those years when the material welfare of this community was at its peak—and we are not suffering now—it became the habit of the chief magistrate and his aldermanic colleagues to strive might and main to reduce the mill rate each year in the hope that the relief so afforded the taxpayers would win votes adequate for re-election. We make no apology for this reference; facts speak for themselves. Had wiser counsels prevailed, and we have reiterated the argument ad nauseum in these columns, the troubles of Mayor George and his colleagues today would be much less irritating than they are.

In other words, the specific lesson of Mr. Abbott's budget should be considered by that element of Canada's population which recognizes the basic truth of economic honesty. And why should there be the least misgiving on the part of any Canadian worth his or her salt who believes in the ultimate destiny of this young and thriving Dominion? Our people have plenty to eat, they are well clothed, in the main they are adequately housed, and, all in all, they have a great deal for which to be thankful. So why not try to pay for the guarantee inherent in the fiscal formula prescribed by the Minister of Finance?

FREEING FOODS

IN SOBER RECOGNITION OF THE FUNdamental requirements of the people of this Dominion, Hon. Douglas Abbott, Minister of Finance, has announced tax exemption of those foods which have been subject to an 8 per cent levy and has expressed the hope that this measure of relief will be extended to the consumer as rapidly as possible. This major concession in the current budget represents a course analogous to that followed by the British Columbia Legislature which specifically exempted from its pending 3 per cent sales tax foods for home preparation and consumption.

The change in the federal fiscal law will not, of course, result in an 8 per cent saving in the table section of the household budget. Many staples—bread, butter, milk, eggs, fresh meats, fresh fruits, vegetables, salt and sugar—were not subject to the impost. The removal of the charge against processed food commodities—ham and bacon as well as canned goods among them—will be of direct benefit to virtually every household in Canada. Spread over the entire population, the $20,000,000 saving is not one of major proportion. It may, however, become compounded in a competitive market and will mark an encouraging reversal in the trend of rising prices which has caused justifiable concern to the housewife.

The exemption lends added point to the attitude of the Dominion Government, which, while declining to relax its general policy of collecting revenue at a time when the people of Canada are enjoying a prosperity probably never equalled in the previous history of this country, nevertheless is alert to the necessity of meeting nutritional needs on as generous a basis as possible.

BIGGER AND BETTER

THE LAYMAN, HAVING READ OF THE tremendous havoc wrought by the atomic bombs on Nagasaki and Hiroshima and of the later impressive effects at Bikini, has difficulty in understanding how a man-made missile could be developed to cause even greater destruction. The shattering of hundreds of acres of land, the leveling of buildings, the silent, unseen death carried by resulting rays, built up in the average mind a conception of the last word in explosive power. Yet we are told authoritatively today that the bombs used on Japan to end the war were merely preliminary attempts to produce an atomic weapon. The bomb of today has been "vastly improved."

Ever since the first demonstration of the atomic bomb, research work has been under way in United States laboratories and testing grounds, notably at Los Alamos, New Mexico. From these studies has grown a "large body of ideas, theories and methods," according to one expert. It was these developments which recently were put to the test at Eniwetok, a tiny island in mid-Pacific, and, in the words of Lt.-Gen. John E. Hull, commander of the task force, "We got our answers. We liked the answers."

Naturally, the results of the latest tests are secrets of the highest priority. We can only guess at the import of the experts' words. But we can be sure of one thing, even on the layman's level of understanding—the need to outlaw war has become greater than ever.

SAFETY AT SEA

FOR SEVERAL MONTHS CERTIFIED radio operators, who have been employed on passenger ships plying the British Columbia coast over a long period, have been endeavoring to obtain closer adherence to safety regulations. They seek not only the enforcement of existing laws, but amendment of the present act further to protect the lives of passengers and crew members in the event of accident to their own vessels or those which may be in distress in the vicinity.

Their proposals face one main obstacle—expense. Briefly put, their case is this: Many vessels do not carry fully-qualified radio operators because the costs of an extra man cannot be met from any revenue-producing function which he serves. In certain cases qualified men are included in the ship's complement, but their communications duties are combined with those of other offices—some double as assistants in the purser's department. In still other instances radio telephones are installed on ships—sometimes as a voluntary convenience and safeguard by owners of craft which are not required by law to have such equipment—and are operated by unskilled men. In any of these cases the full obligations of a radio operator cannot always be discharged. Under these circumstances, for instance, proper watches are seldom kept. That is to say, a qualified man is not stationed at the equipment to pick up distress calls which may come from a ship that is nearby but is not in sight and which, for lack of speedy assistance, may be lost.

To suport their case, the group of operators has listed wrecks on the coast in recent years in which more effective rescue efforts have been forestalled by lack of either equipment or qualified personnel to handle it.

The operators face the same criticism as members of a municipal fire department. Apart from routine work, which does not necessarily keep them busy throughout their working day, they are needed chiefly in cases of emergency. But, like firemen, when they are required, they are wanted in a hurry and their competence must be beyond question.

This, then, is their position: They must be considered first and foremost as safety workers. When everything goes well aboard ship, their duties are relatively light, although they should be busy on maintenance as well as routine sending and receiving of messages. When things go wrong on their own vessel or on another, they are the ones who must flash out the distress signals or pick up the calls for help. On them may depend the lives of hundreds. And in some cases seconds count.

Their argument is one of lives against dollars. They have a case which should be met. At all events, their submission to the authorities should be accorded the closest scrutiny in an age which is growing ever more safety-conscious.

WRONG SPIRIT

THE INDIGNATION OF MR. WILLARD D. Ireland, provincial librarian and archivist, over the misrepresentation of church history in this part of the world will be shared by many. To quote the report on his remarks:

> He felt that when people referred to "saintly Capt. William Oliver," a pioneer pilot on the First Methodist Mission boat Glad Tidings before the turn of the century, as a rum runner and his vessel as a rum boat, the time for action was at hand.

Agreement should be universal. Metaphorically and physically, here is a case of the wrong spirit.

Next to guinea pigs and rabbits, the things that multiply fastest are the words told to a gossip.

First Defence

By the B.B.C Aviation Expert

THE THIRTIETH ANNIVERSARY of the Royal Air Force was celebrated on April 1, 1948. In 1918, the Royal Flying Corps and the Royal Naval Air Service came together to form the R.A.F. Only eight years previously, the airplane had been condemned as of "no use in war." Many of the same officers who paraded in those ceremonies of April 1, 1918, have now heard their service called—and called officially—"Britain's first line defence."

ONLY A FEW PEOPLE—but they were people who counted—struggled in the 20 years between wars to keep an efficient, compact, and well-equipped air force in the skies, an air force which could be expanded. Progress was slow, money was scarce, and what there was was grudged. The progress made in those 20 years—and certainly in the first 15 of those years, seems to our impatient modern eyes to have been a snail's crawl. The 1914-18 war ended with biplanes of 110 m.p.h. In 1936, the Air Force was still equipped with biplanes—some of which could barely touch 250 m.p.h. In 18 years, we progressed at an average rate of seven miles an hour per year, in speed, and about 16 horse-power per year, in power—not startling figures.

BUT THE KEY to the whole technical situation undoubtedly lay in the aero-engine. That unspectacular between war jump from 300 to 1,000 horse-power was a key one, and the long, painstaking job of getting these engines to be reliable permitted of few shortcuts. As fast as the over-riding consideration of engine development would allow, the R.A.F. concentrated hard on the things which mattered from the point of view of combat: height, speed, range, and armament.

The search for speed was the most spectacular, and, therefore, the most publicized of these ventures. The Schneider Trophy provided the spur, and, for it, Rolls produced a motor which ran for an hour at 2,500 horse-power, and which weighed only 1,600 pounds. It was an outstanding achievement, and gave Britain, in 1931, the world record at 407 m.p.h. So, amid the cheers of thousands who watched along the south coast, the Schneider Trophy came to live permanently in the ante-room of the Royal Aero Club—and the Merlin engine was born.

THE STORY of R. J. Mitchell and the Spitfire is probably well known, but the key to all this was the Schneider engine which gave us the Hurricane, the Spitfire, and the Lancaster. The development of a light, reliable, 1,000-h.p. motor was the main technical advance of those 20 years, and, slow though it may have seemed in coming, no other nation did as well, which probably saved Britain's bacon.

On the equally important height story, Bristols, with their reliable radials, won the day, and F/Lt. Adam climbed to 54,000 feet from Farnborough, in September, 1937.

So, in those 20 years between, the R.A.F. raised the speed record from 170 m.p.h. to 406 m.p.h., the height from 33,000 to 54,000 feet, and the distance from 2,000 to over 7,000 miles. But we had taken our time about it, and we took very nearly too much time. The new warplanes which resulted from these achievements were only just getting into squadron service in 1939. But the time-lag between the purely experimental airplane and its everyday equivalent in squadron service was, necessarily, long. There were not enough of the new world-beaters to go round, and we found ourselves still using biplane Gladiators in 1940 alongside Spitfires, and, in the remoter places, even more ancient Harts, Wapities, and the like.

WAPITIES WERE a basic design of 1917, yet they were still being flown in the Far East when the Japanese came to the gates of India. How is the R.A.F. profiting by the experiences of the "years between," and the years of Hitler's war? Air Chief-Marshal Sir John Slessor, Commandant of the Imperial Defence College, a great air tactician, sums up:

"What are the lessons we should learn from the war? First, I suggest, there is the lesson that, in air warfare, quality counts far more than quantity, both in personnel and equipment. You must, of course, have the essential minimum numbers. But the vital things are that your men and their training must be first rate (on the ground as well as in the air); and that your equipment must be good.

"In the Battle of Britain, we were heavily outnumbered; but the battle was won by the superior quality of our pilots and maintenance crews, and of our equipment—the eight-gun fighter, and radar. It was, not by any means, in all respects, that our quality was good at the beginning. We made many mistakes before the war, and in the opening months, from which it took us a long time to recover—and we can learn from those mistakes.

"The lesson from all this surely is that we must take practical steps in peacetime to ensure that we really do know all we ought to know." Only in this way will Britain derive the full benefit from her "first-line defence," and a greater guarantee be placed on peace.

Italy is temporarily safe from Communism, but there will never be a settled peace in Europe while Asiatic imperialism and Communist domination rule over the whole of central and eastern Europe.—Winston Churchill.

'Made Any Impression Yet, Mister?'

A Deal With Ibn Saud

By JAMES THRASHER from New York

THE U.S. Senate War Investigating (Brewster) Committee isn't making as many front page headlines with its current investigating as it did with the Howard Hughes probe, but this one might prove to be more productive.

The committee says that the four big American oil firms that own the Arabian-American Oil Company (Aramco) overcharged the government from $20,000,000 to $38,000,000 on sales to the navy between 1942 and 1947. This happened when Aramco set the price of oil at $1.05 a barrel after promising to sell to the navy at 40 cents a barrel.

The committee's story, bolstered by documented evidence, recalls the panicky and almost forgotten days when Rommel and his Nazis were rolling on to Cairo with little prospect of being stopped. King Ibn Saud started playing hard to get about that time. So the oil companies, which were trying to get oil concessions from him, came to the government for help.

The government, says the Brewster Committee, responded with almost $100,000,000 of American taxpayers' money for the Saudi-Arabian monarch. In return, the navy was to get oil at the 40-cent price. But after Rommel was driven back, the price went up to $1.05.

Further, the committee charges, oil company representatives held government positions—one was an assistant to the under-secretary of state—all during these oil negotiations, and gave their employers advance tips on every State Department move. At the same time the government didn't know what the oil companies were doing and, in spite of all the millions given in assistance, was allowed to have no control over the companies' policies.

The navy has defended the oil purchases by saying that while it did pay $1.05 a barrel instead of 40 cents, the price was still 79 cents less than it would have had to pay at home or in the Dutch West Indies. So Aramco officials say their company really saved the Navy $26,500,000. They also say that Aramco gave Ibn Saud $16,000,000, while the government only gave him $18,000,000 in "direct lend-lease."

NON-TAXPAYING

The committee comes back with the statement that Aramco presumably would repay itself these advances out of profits, while the lend-lease money is unrecoverable. It also charges that the parent company has set up foreign subsidiaries, with profits of more than $100,000,000, which aren't paying taxes to the United States.

So as things stand now, it looks as if the taxpayers might be the losers in this Aramco deal. But there is no question of who the winner was. It was old Ibn Saud, the threadbare, battlescarred sheik who pulled one of the smartest one-man shakedowns in history to make himself a multi-millionaire.

Sinkiang—New Horizon, New Deal, New Hope

China News Bulletin

SINKIANG, meaning "New Horizon" in Chinese, has been an integral part of China since 1875. It is not until recent years that the province has begun to draw world attention. Sharing boundaries with Russia, India and Afghanistan, it is China's northwestern outpost. The total area of Sinkiang is 775,915 square miles, or about twice the size of the province of Ontario. Its total population is approximately 4,047,000, of which about half is Chinese and the other half composed of several minority racial groups. Leading products of the province are fruits, vegetables and animal by-products.

It was an unusually warm spring afternoon in Nanking, but inside the National Assembly Hall the temperature was even higher and the atmosphere seemed charged with high tension. The delegates were waxing hot over the problems of national defence and every word uttered intensified emotions.

YOUTH FROM SINKIANG

At a strategic moment, a tall, lanky youth, wearing an embroidered skull cap and flowing lapel-less topcoat, strode up to the podium. The delegates craned their necks to look at this quaintly attired representative and to hear what he had to say. In faltering Mandarin, Tu Lo-kan asked first of all that his fellow delegates be patient with him. They laughed good naturedly and he proceeded. Soon their grins disappeared and they nodded approval. Finally, when he finished, the house broke into applause.

Although Tu spoke simply, in a few short minutes he had diverted the attention of his assembly colleagues from the milieu of North China to a region 2,000 air miles away. Tu was talking about his native province, Sinkiang, long one of China's most troubled spots and the prized object of aggressors since time immemorial.

The message that Tu delivered came from the entire province of Sinkiang. While it contained optimistic glimpses of the present, the delegates and the governmental leaders present could not possibly have missed the ominous ring as to its future, unless something constructive were done now.

BACK DOOR TO CHINA

Sinkiang is the back door to China, Tu said, and if it were lost, the rest of China would be jeopardized. The only way to prevent this is for the government to adopt immediately a permanent and realistic policy toward that distant province. What Tu said could not have been more true, for Sinkiang today exists in a state of uneasiness, with constant threat of violence coming from the direction of Ili and Outer Mongolia.

The Sinkiang delegates asked for nothing but a continuation of liberalism and good government, introduced for the first time two years ago by General Chang Chih-chung, a top-flight administrator and a great advocate of democratic principles. They wanted assurance from the government that if General Chang were transferred, the official replacing him would be bound by a policy that has brought prosperity and peace to that border province.

POLITICAL LIBERTIES

Although it feels the sword of Damocles hanging over its head, Sinkiang is enjoying political liberties which were unknown until two years ago when the Ili Peace Agreement was negotiated and autonomy restored to the people. It has a native governor and a popularly elected provincial council composed largely of natives.

With self-government, close co-operation between Sinkiang and the Central Government is now a reality. Masud, the provincial governor, believes that his state must exist as a part of China or not exist at all. He is a liberal with progressive ideas, and one of the first things that he did since his inauguration was to ameliorate relations between the Han (Chinese) residents of Sinkiang and the native Moslems. The labor of Governor Masud and General Chang is bearing fruit, and the animosity which in the past has caused innumerable bloody conflicts is now only a memory.

Letter To The Editor

REVOLUTION

There is much talk these days of revolution and world domination by force, but that need not be necessary for the revolution is already operating but we do not like it, for it is by slow, peaceful and silent operation of Nature and the seasons.

Thousands of new words to fit new meanings are in process of circulation and the revolution of human thinking goes on silently but persistently. A higher meaning to the word relation, is slowly taking the place of religion and covers all humanity. A new meaning to the word contact, by affinity, is superseding the word worship, bringing common relationship much closer than prayer, and so on.

Revolution of the world of humanity by new words and shades of meaning, evolving out of the old words, is the most likely trend to advance the world towards permanent peace, without wars and strife and bloodshed. As peoples think so peoples will do.

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Global Survey

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

THERE IS MUCH virtue in the old saying that one shouldn't look a gift horse in the mouth but, like most generalities, there are exceptions to the rule.

We are faced with an important exception, or so it seems to me, in the case of Premier Stalin's announcement that Moscow is willing, if the United States is, to accept Henry A. Wallace's recent open letter to him as the basis for peaceful settlement of Russo-American differences. There is more than a little doubt as to what sort of steed we are being offered.

The big question we have to answer, of course, is whether this is a real peace offer or whether it is a shrewd move to bolster Russia's position.

SUDDEN HALT?

Does Moscow suddenly halt this program of 30 years' standing and say: "We abandon our project. We are ready for peace?"

Well, one thing that political circles in this country were quick to note was that Stalin, with his praise of Wallace, had intervened in the American presidential campaign. It remained to be seen what the effect would be.

Then diplomatic quarters are asking whether Moscow might be raising the peace issue in order to weaken the Marshall Plan for European rehabilitation, and block support for American military aid to western Europe. Suspicions further give rise to the thought that Russia would like a lull in the cold war to give her a chance to consolidate her gains and bolster her economic position, especially heavy industries which would be needed if war overtook her.

One of the points Marshal Stalin cited as being mentioned by Wallace for discussion was "evacuation of troops from China and Korea." Well, now, such an agreement almost certainly would have the effect of giving Russia possession of all Korea which strategically is one of the most important bases in the whole Orient.

SPLIT IN TWO

The northern half of Korea is occupied by Russian troops, and the southern half by American forces. Russia has Sovietized the northern portion and has created a Korean army of some 200,000 while southern Korea is just setting up its own free government under protection of America.

Many observers figure that withdrawal of both Russian and United States troops would permit the northern Korean army to take over the southern half of the country and incorporate it in the Communist regime. No wonder Moscow wants withdrawal of American and Russian troops.

CLIPPED at RANDOM

FOR THE INDIANS

Windsor Star

The Indian Affairs committee of Parliament has recommended votes for Indians. Heretofore, only those who gave up their advantages as wards of the state and competed as citizens with white men were allowed the franchise.

It is a recommendation which should be adopted. If some of the Indians are backward, it is largely because we have kept them so. If they get votes, more attention will be paid to their welfare, and greater efforts made to have them become an asset to the country.

REAL RISK

Winnipeg Free Press

The real risk today, for Canada, is not in doing too much for collective security but in doing too little. Fortunately, both the Government and Parliament have shown that on the supreme issue—the menace of Russian aggression—we are aware of the problem and ready to bear our share of the burden in helping to solve it. By binding themselves together to resist aggression, the nations of the free world reduce the dangers of war.

FIRETRAP

Washington Post

It is not exactly earth-shaking news, considering the seeming propensity of President Truman for the hot seat, that the White House has been dubbed a firetrap by Public Buildings Commissioner W. E. Reynolds. Mr. Reynolds goes whole-hog and adds: "The building is just standing up by habit." This is of course an ugly libel on the Executive Mansion, the worse because it is now placed in the same category with such honorable firetraps as the District Home for the Aged and Infirm at Blue Plains. Leaving aside the esthetic jolt in such invidious comparisions, however, the situation is surely one that somebody ought to do something about.

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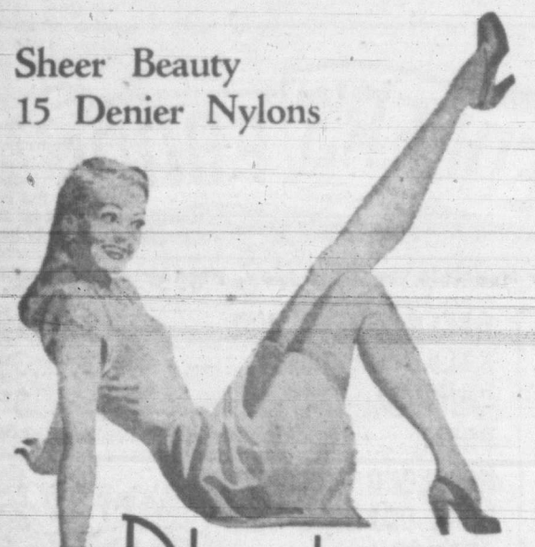

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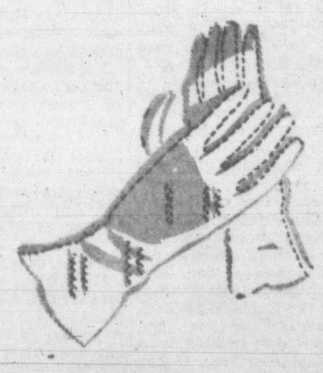

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Record $670,000,000 Surplus In 1947-48 Fiscal Year

Abbott Says Government Figuring On Checking Inflation, Paying Off Debts

OTTAWA (CP)—A record surplus of $670,000,000 for the 1947-48 fiscal year was reported by Finance Minister Abbott in his budget speech in the Commons Tuesday night.

That compared with a 1946-47 surplus—first recorded in 17 years—of $373,000,000, which was greater than the total of all previous surpluses since Confederation.

Revenues for 1947-48 were $2,869,000,000 and expenditures $2,199,000,000. In the previous year revenues totaled $3,007,000,000 and expenditures $2,634,000,000.

Mr. Abbott said the practice of budgetting for a huge surplus in times of prosperity is justifiable.

The 1947-48 surplus, considerably larger than the largest prewar total budget, would not be good policy, he said, were it not for the need to "check inflationary forces at this time and to redeem our debt as quickly as we can under the circumstances as favorable as they have been."

"There will never be a better time to reduce the burden of our national debt. We can do it now without hardship and thereby get ourselves in better position to bear the extra burdens we may have to assume when our national income becomes less buoyant or other untoward developments occur."

DEBT STILL HIGH

The surplus reduced the net debt to $12,378,000,000, as of March 31, 1948.

"Although this represents a decline of $1,043,000,000 from the peak of two years ago, it is still a very high figure and a reminder of the need we face to manage our revenues and expenditures in such a way as to throw off the maximum practicable surplus under such prosperous conditions as we enjoy today."

If no changes were made in the tax rates, Mr. Abbott estimated, he would conclude the 1948-49 year with a surplus of $549,000,000. Revenues would total $2,724,000,000 and expenditures $2,175,000,000.

He warned, however, that the international situation made it difficult to judge how much might be needed in the way of defence expenditures.

NO PRESENT EXPANSION

"As yet the situation, despite its threatening appearance, has not led the government to believe an immediate expansion in our defence activities is necessary," he said. "Events are marching swiftly, however, and we must be prepared to change our program on short notice."

He felt the government could not afford to overlook the possibility that developing events in the international field "may sooner or later make it necessary to increase our expenditures on national defence."

The government would not be justified in forecasting higher defence spending this year, but "we must bear these circumstances in mind later in considering our tax policy."

RESERVES OF U.S. DOLLARS

In the speech, which touched on both international and domestic economic pictures, Mr. Abbott made these other points:

1. The abrupt decline of Canada's reserves of United States dollars has been stopped, but an early lifting of import controls cannot be expected.

2. Canada's gross national production in 1947 amounted to $13,165,000,000, compared with $11,613,000,000 in 1946.

3. Canada cannot now return to over-all price controls and subsidies in the hope that conditions will soon return to normal.

4. Any reasonable increase in interest rates would not act as a brake on business expenditures or consumer spending.

Mr. Abbott said if one took bookkeeping transactions into account, the 1947-48 surplus amounted to $1,181,000,000. This included cash received from sources other than revenue, mainly repayments of debts and amounts received in annuity and pension funds.

Largest item of this nature was repayment by the Foreign Exchange Control Board of $220,000,000 of advances formerly made by the government to enable it to acquire exchange reserves, and which are repaid with the Canadian dollars obtained when these reserves are liquidated.

LOANS ADVANCED

Part of the cash surplus was used to loan $499,000,000 to the United Kingdom and other countries for purchases in Canada.

Mr. Abbott said that by and large the taxation and expenditure aspects of budget policy have been "primarily directed to countering the inflationary pressures threatening Canada in recent years."

He said he does not believe any reasonable increase in interest rates would do much to combat inflation.

Analyzing the 1947-48 revenues and expenditures, Mr. Abbott said receipts had turned out to be much higher than anticipated. Prices, wages, profits and expenditures all were substantially higher than was estimated when the budget was brought down a year ago.

"As a consequence our revenues from the sales tax, the personal income tax, and the taxes on corporate profits were all substantially higher than we had counted on in the budget. The same was true of customs revenue, because both the volume and the prices of imports were much higher than we had expected a year ago. It was also true of special receipts and credits."

BIG CUTS IN OUTLAYS

Great reductions had been made in war and demobilization expenditures on national defence, and in expenditures on termination and liquidation of war contracts, on cost of living subsidies and veterans' benefits.

He expressed doubt that the current fiscal year's expenditures will be much lower than last year's. Provision would have to be made for the $30,000,000 which the government announced last week it would pay to the provinces to help expand public health services.

The original estimates of expenditures would also have to be altered to provide for the 25 per cent increase in war pensions. Continuation of freight assistance on the movement of feed grains would add another $16,000,000 to the original estimates.

WAGES MAY INCREASE

In forecasting revenues of $2,724,000,000 for the current year, Mr. Abbott said:

"In making this forecast, we assume some small further increases in wages and other incomes and some prices, a small increase in our national production, normal crops, and no serious industrial disputes or other setbacks to production and income. These are, I would say, conservatively optimistic forecasts.

"Prices, wages and profits may increase much more if inflationary forces prevail. Good crops would increase our real production and our revenues above what I have assumed and forecast. On the other hand, serious difficulties in our export markets, poor crops, prolonged stoppages of production or an abrupt decline in capital expenditures of Canadian business might reduce incomes and our tax base and make our estimates appear too optimistic.

Referring to Canada's United States dollar position, Mr. Abbott said the reserves totaled $607,000,000 at March 31 and $668,000,000 at April 30, by which time $130,000,000 had been drawn from the $300,000,000 loan obtained from the United States Export-Import Bank.

AVOID TOO MUCH HASTE

"Our cash reserves must still be increased substantially before we can regard our exchange position as satisfactory," he said. "We can neither be too hasty in relaxing the irritating controls we have had to impose nor too optimistic in appraising our capacity to give further assistance to world recovery."

The import controls were necessary to protect the country's economy. As far as other controls were concerned the practice of the government has been to return to a free price system.

"Neither this government nor this Parliament has either the political mandate or the constitutional power to maintain indefinitely in peacetime a straitjacket of controls over prices, production and distribution.

"Our whole economy has been organized to operate on a price basis by private incentives and private initiatives, not by centralized direction."

Abbott Catalogues List Of Articles Freed Of Sales Tax

OTTAWA (CP)—Following is the text of Finance Minister Abbott's budget resolutions proposing changes in the Excise Tax Act and the Excise Act:

The measures are effective today.

1. That the sales tax on the following list of articles be repealed:

(a) Shortening; soups; rice, yeast; yogurt; barley, split peas; peanut butter, biscuits, cookies and similar articles; pastry, cake, biscuit and similar mixes; cereal breakfast foods not including beverages; foods prepared and sold exclusively for feeding infants; fruit, canned, frozen, dried or evaporated; fruit juices which consist of at least 95 per cent of pure juice of the fruit; jams, jellies, marmalades and preserves; corn syrup, table syrups and molasses; meats and poultry, cooked, canned, frozen, smoked or dried; canned fish; spaghetti, macaroni and vermicelli; vegetables, canned, frozen or dehydrated, but not including pickles, relishes, catsup, sauces, olives, and similar goods; vegetable juices; and

(b) Hay presses and complete parts thereof; auxiliary internal combustion engines incorporated into agricultural implements or agricultural machinery, and complete parts thereof; crushed stone or crushed gravel; articles imported by or for public museums, public libraries, universities, colleges or schools, and which are to be placed in such institutions as exhibits; wheel chairs and complete parts thereof specially designed for the use of invalids.

2. That the excise tax on the price of admission to places of amusement be repealed.

3. That the excise tax on charges made in places of entertainment be repealed.

4. That the excise tax on bets on horse racing be repealed.

5. That the retail purchase tax on watches specially designed for use of the blind, alarm clocks selling to the user at not more than $10 each, and plated table knives, forks and spoons, be repealed.

6. That the special excise tax of 3 per cent on goods imported into Canada from general tariff countries be repealed.

7. That the rates of excise tax on matches be amended to provide for a proportionate rate of tax on packages of smaller sizes.

8. That the excise tax of 25 per cent be repealed on 16-millimetre projectors for slides, films or pictures, and that the tax be extended to cover projector mechanisms, sound equipment, arc lamps, lenses, bases, and film magazines or reels for moving picture projectors.

Resolved, that it is expedient to introduce a measure to amend the Excise Act to repeal, effective on and after May 19, 1948, the excise duty on spirits used in the production of vinegar.

In his speech Mr. Abbott expressed hope the saving through removal of the sales tax on the list of foods would be passed along to the consumers.

The revenue involved is estimated at $20,000,000 a year.

The saving for consumers is expected to mean much more to the householder than $20,000,000 by the time it reaches him. The tax has been imposed at the manufactured level, and by the time it has trickled down to the actual consumer, it has been pyramided by mark-ups along the distribution route.

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His Big Day

Hon. C. D. Abbott, Minister of Finance, on whom the eyes and ears of Canada were fixed when in Parliament he brought down the federal budget.

Reasonable Boost In Interest Rates Not Seen As Danger

OTTAWA (CP)—Finance Minister Abbott in his budget speech in the Commons Tuesday night said no reasonable increase in interest rates would succeed in cutting down either business or private expenditure.

"A rise in rates sufficient to produce these results would cause so drastic a fall in the prices of bonds and such chaotic conditions that I doubt whether any responsible person would recommend it as a deliberate policy," he said.

Mr. Abbott noted the government and the Bank of Canada recently had allowed market forces to bring about a slight increase in the yield on government securities. This would not have any great effect in cutting down capital expenditure.

LIVING STANDARD

It was difficult to believe higher interest rates would lead the general public to cut down its living expenditures. And analysis of the demand side of the market "leads me to the conclusion that no reasonable increase in interest rates is likely to affect materially the action of the industrial borrower."

It would take a really substantial increase to dampen the industrial borrower's demand for funds.

"What we need is a slowing down, not a sudden cessation, of the capital development which has been straining our resources," he said.

Cheaper Cutlery For Newlyweds

OTTAWA (CP)—It's anybody's guess whether Finance Minister Abbott had June brides in mind when in his budget speech in the Commons Tuesday night he announced lifting of the 25 per cent retail purchase tax from silver-plated knives, forks and spoons. It will mean a little less expense for newlyweds just setting up housekeeping.

But when the bride comes to buy her trousseau, she won't find either cosmetics or clothes cheaper. If she is after imported goods, she will probably, a bit later, notice some reduction in the price of British-made cotton and rayon piece goods. All duties have been temporarily suspended on these items.

Still Cause For Optimism In Economics And Finance

OTTAWA (CP)—Partial text of the fiscal portion of the budget delivered in the Commons Tuesday night by Finance Minister Abbott:

This year I can again report, so far as Canada is concerned, an unprecedented rate of economic activity and a new record of progress in our government accounts. . . .

There is still cause for optimism, both in regard to the great political issues and in economic and financial affairs, but it must be an optimism tempered with a realistic appreciation of the formidable difficulties that must be overcome if we are to achieve peace and prosperity for the world and for Canada.

The impact on Canada of the developing financial difficulties of countries in western Europe and elsewhere was reflected in our own exchange difficulties. . . .

Our exchange reserves were reduced to dangerously low levels. . . . were forced to impose distasteful restrictions on our imports of both consumer goods and capital goods.

PRODUCTION INCREASES

Our domestic economy has continued to boom, despite the international shocks that we have received and despite the inroads we have made during the last three years into our backlog of demands accumulated during the war. . . . Our gross national production in 1947 exceeded $13,000,000,000, up by 13 per cent over the previous year, but most of this increase was due to the rise in prices and wage rates. . . .

The most striking feature of the national expenditure last year and now is the high level of capital expenditure on new construction, industrial plant and equipment, public utility projects and residential housing. . . .

COST OF LIVING

To most of us, the rise in prices has been the immediate pressing fact of our economic life. . . .

They are now closer to American levels than previously, but they still lag behind in terms of the total increase over prewar figures . . . we had a surplus of revenue over expenditure in the accounting sense of $670,000,000 in 1947-48, following one of $373,000,000 in 1946-47.

TOTAL WAS $1,181,000,000

In order to judge the effects of our budget policy upon the income and expenditure of the nation, we must make a number of adjustments and take into account our loans and investments, our borrowings and repayments.

These adjustments change our accounting surplus of $670,000,000 to a cash surplus of $727,000,000. Then we must add the cash we have received from sources other than revenue, mainly repayments of debts and amounts received in annuity and pension funds. Adding these items to our cash surplus brings our total up to $1,181,000,000.

COUNTRY'S EXPENDITURES

Expenditures have turned out to be slightly higher than I forecast a year ago, but mainly because I have come to the conclusion that this year the amount to be added to our reserve for possible losses on ultimate realization of our active assets should be $75,000,000 rather than the amount of $25,000,000, provided each year for the previous seven years.

Apart from this item, our budget forecast of total expenditure turned out very close to the mark. Total expenditures, excluding the $75,000,000 appropriation to the general revenues, amounted to $2,124,000,000 against a budget forecast of $2,100,000,000.

FORECAST FOR 1948-49 BEFORE TAX CHANGES

The total expenditures provided for in the main estimates this year are approximately $1,985,000,000. . . .

There will also be substantial supplementary estimates later this year, though I do not expect quite such large supplementary estimates and further supplementary estimates this year as we had last year. . . .

Assuming no change in existing tax laws, we now estimate that our revenues in this fiscal year will amount to $2,724,000,000. . . .

REVENUES FORECAST

With the consent of the House, I shall place on Hansard at this point a summary table showing the forecast for this fiscal year of revenues from each main source compared with the actual receipts last year,

FORECAST OF REVENUES

	Forecast Fiscal Year 1948-49	Actual Fiscal Year 1947-48 (Preliminary)
Customs Duties	$ 250,000,000	$ 283,000,000
Excise Duties	200,000,000	197,000,000
Sales Tax (Net)	395,000,000	372,000,000
Other Excise Taxes	270,000,000	265,000,000
Income Tax		
Personal	675,000,000	660,000,000
Corporate	520,000,000	364,000,000
Excess Profits Tax	60,000,000	227,000,000
Interest, Dividends, etc.	38,000,000	36,000,000
Succession Duties	32,000,000	31,000,000
Miscellaneous	4,000,000	4,000,000
Total Tax Revenue	2,444,000,000	2,452,000,000
Non-Tax Revenue	190,000,000	178,000,000
Total Ordinary Revenue	2,634,000,000	2,630,000,000
Special Receipts and Credits	90,000,000	239,000,000
Grand Total Revenue	2,724,000,000	2,869,000,000

B.C. Dailies Re-elect News-Herald Publisher

VANCOUVER (CP)—C. B. Delbridge, publisher of the Vancouver News-Herald, Tuesday was re-elected president of the British Columbia Newspaper Association at the group's annual meeting.

W. T. Robertson of the Vancouver Daily Province was elected secretary to succeed C. Wightman of the Victoria Colonist.

An annual scholarship to encourage study and development of newspaper advertising was established by the delegates as part of the University of British Columbia's commerce course.

QUICK RELIEF FROM PAIN

"Do women *need* to suffer so?"—mothers are often asked. One mother writes:

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Heat Wave Hits Sask.

REGINA (CP)—A sudden heat wave swept Saskatchewan today, with Estevan recording 92 degrees. Top temperature in Regina was 80.

The Town Planning Commission will hold its May meeting Friday evening at 7.30 in the City Hall.

Abbott Sees Economy Producing To Limit But Not Meeting Demand

By Canadian Press

Finance Minister Abbott Tuesday night gave a picture of a Canadian economy producing virtually to its limit, but unable to produce enough to meet the combined needs of its capital expansion, its export trade and the wishes of its people for consumer goods.

In effect, he seemed to conclude that more money in circulation would only add to the amount competing for the goods available, and would send up prices. In line with this thought, he decided against any general tax reduction.

On this he will doubtless encounter a great deal of argument.

Regardless of the merits of the case for higher or lower taxes, the present almost explosively-expanding state of the economy of 12,000,000 Canadian people has drawn looks of combined awe and concern from many economists.

More than $2,000,000,000 a year is being put into Canada's capacity to produce. It is being put into what many regard as the new storehouse of the North American continent, whose mineral wealth and many other natural resources have hardly been touched.

If one were to be an optimist he might feel the old saying that this would be Canada's century is at last giving promise of being true if a prosperous world can be brought to pass.

In the meantime the situation is not without its worries to budgetters and those who support and oppose them.

MARKET TRENDS

The stock markets got a setback Tuesday, its bull movement stopped for the moment at least. In one of the sharpest breaks in New York in more than three months and the first decline since May 5, the Associated Press average of 60 stocks declined .9 to 70.4.

In Toronto, industrials took a sharp drop of 2.28 points in the exchange's index, western oils retreated 1.13 and base metals .79, but golds advanced 1.13, with advances in the higher-priced issues and selected juniors. Montreal also shared the weakness.

Grains gained in Chicago and Winnipeg. New York cotton futures were $1.50 to $2.80 a bale lower.

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Peek Frean's Biscuits bulk, 1 lb. 59¢ ½-lb. pkt. 37¢

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SALAD DRESSING Durkee's, 16-oz. jar 39¢
CHICKEN Mephisto, 7-oz. tin 35¢
PREM 12-oz. tin 35¢
KIPPERED SNACKS Connor's, tins 2 for 19¢
LIME CORDIAL Grantham's, 26-oz. bottle 49¢
SPAGHETTI and CHEESE Franco-American, 16-oz. tin 13¢
HOME-MADE PICKLES Libby's, 16-oz. jar 27¢
CRAB MEAT Nabob, 7-oz. tin 65¢
FANCY TUNA 7-oz. tin 39¢
PORK AND BEANS Royal City, 15-oz. tin 13¢
GRAPE JUICE Smith's 16-oz. bottle 22¢

RIDGWAY TEA, 5 o'Clock, 1-lb. fancy caddie 1.25
PEAS, size 5, Columbia, choice quality, tins 2 for 25¢
CUT GREEN BEANS, Aylmer, tins 2 for 29¢
PEACHES, Brentwood, standard quality, tin 23¢
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, Francis Drake, tin 2 for 21¢
ORANGE JUICE, Smith's, 48-oz. tin 28¢

Visit the Demonstration of MARTIN'S COCONUT and LOTUS DATES

TOMATO JUICE, Aylmer, 20-oz. tins 2 for 25¢
PURE PEACH JAM, Nabob, 2-lb. jar 39¢
VEGETABLE SOUP, Nabob, tins 3 for 25¢

CAKE FLOUR
Velvet, pkt. 32¢
RICE KRISPIES, Kellogg's, pkts 2 for 27¢
ALL-BRAN, Kellogg's, large pkt 22¢
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Government's Advisory Group On Alcohol Problems

—Photo by B.C. Government Travel Bureau.

Taken at the first meeting of the group here last week-end, the consultative council on alcohol education and problems is shown above. Left to right, seated: Dean S. N. F. Chant, W. F. Kennedy, Miss J. Madeline Clay, Mrs. Harold Culter, Education Minister W. T. Straith, Dr. George A. Davidson, chairman; Miss Laura Holland, Dr. G. F. Strong and Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell; standing: H. L. Campbell, director of alcohol education; Neil A. Swainson, Dr. J. L. Murray Anderson, E. T. Fairey, deputy education minister; J. R. Meredith and Magistrate H. C. Hall.

Hundreds Of Tots Learn How To Swim

Greater Victoria Schools Grade 5 swim program finished Tuesday, after eight weeks of intensive training and play at the Crystal Garden.

The program was much improved over that of last year, mainly due to the fact that each group of approximately 60 was divided according to ability into three smaller groups of beginners, paddlers and swimmers.

Beginners were handled by C. Ellison and the others by the class teachers, Ed. Kelter, Pro-Rec supervisor, and G. Grant, supervisor of physical education.

Excellent progress was made by the 750 children who participated and only one or two in each group are unable to swim a few feet on front and back. These few at least enjoy the water and are on the way to learning to swim.

An interesting sidelight of the program was the fact that 220 of these 10 and 11-year-olds passed the Red Cross Junior test for swimmers. The test was given by Mr. Grant, who is also local director of Red Cross swimming and water safety program

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MEN'S CANVAS OXFORDS — White topsides with brown soles. Sizes 6½ to 11 — 1.69

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LADIES' CANVAS OXFORDS — These shoes feature built-up heels. Finished in suntan or blue with brown rubber soles and trim. Cork insoles. Sizes 3 to 8 — 1.95

BOYS' SCAMPERS — Moccasin style. Brown leather topsides with tough Panco soles. Sizes 1 to 5 — 3.95

BOYS' CREPE-SOLED OXFORDS — This shoe has brown leather uppers and soft crepe soles. . . . Sizes 8 to 10½ and 12 to 2 — 3.95

LEATHER SANDALS — T-strap style. Soft soap crepe soles. A tough-wearing and good-looking shoe which is made in England. Children's sizes, 3 to 9 — 2.50

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BOYS' ALL-BROWN CANVAS BOOTS — Laced to toe. In sizes from 1 to 5 — 1.49

CHILDREN'S RED CREPE-SOLED OXFORDS — This style has red leather uppers with crepe soles. In sizes from 8 to 10½ — 3.95

Sizes 11 to 2 — 4.49

MEN'S ALL-BROWN CANVAS OXFORDS — Cork insoles. Laced to toe. Lattice type rubber soles. In sizes 6 to 11 — 2.10

LADIES' CREPE SADDLE OXFORDS — Red, red and white, and all brown. Sizes 4½ to 7½ — 5.95

MEN'S WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS — Brown rubber soles. Laced to toe. Ventilated. Cushioned insoles. Sizes 6 to 8 — 3.45

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MEN'S CANVAS OXFORDS — All brown. Laced to toe. Sizes 6 to 11 — 1.75

BOYS' CANVAS OXFORDS — Laced to toe. All brown. Rubber soles. Sizes 1 to 5 — 1.49

LADIES' CANVAS OXFORDS — White topsides with brown rubber soles. Laced to toe. Sizes 3 to 8 — 1.45

MEN'S ALL-BROWN CANVAS BOOTS — Laced to toe. Sizes 6 to 11 — 1.65

MISSES' WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS — Brown rubber soles. Laced to toe. Sizes 11 to 2, including half sizes — 1.29

MEN'S CANVAS BOOTS — Cork insoles. Blue canvas uppers trimmed with brown. Also brown canvas uppers. Sizes 6 to 11 — 2.25

BOYS' CANVAS OXFORDS — Laced to toe. All brown. Better quality. Cork insoles. Sizes 1 to 5 — 1.89

LADIES' ALL-WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS — Laced-to-toe style. This shoe has the cork or washable (sanitary) insoles. Sizes 3 to 8 — 2.15

MEN'S CANVAS WORKBOOT STYLE — Patterned after leather work boot. Built-up rubber heels. Lace hooks at top. In sizes from 6 to 11 — 2.75

LADIES' CANVAS RUNNING SHOES — Oxford style. Natural finish with brown rubber soles and trim. Plain toe. Extra heavy construction. Cork insoles — 2.19

LADIES' WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS — Brown rubber soles and plain toes. Sizes 3 to 8 — 1.39

MISSES' CANVAS OXFORDS — White or blue. Washable insoles. Sizes 11 to 2 — 1.85

CHILDS' CANVAS OXFORDS — A well-made shoe for good wear. Brown, blue, white and suntan. Sizes 4 to 10 — 98c

LADIES' WHITE CANVAS OXFORDS — Brown rubber soles and toe cap. Laced to toe. Ventilation and cushioned insoles are features of this shoe. Sizes 4 to 9 — 3.30

MISSES' CANVAS OXFORDS — Suntan, white, blue and beige. Sizes 11 to 2 — 1.19

MISSES' CANVAS OXFORDS — Cork insoles. Natural, blue and brown. Sizes 11 to 2. Heavy duck uppers — 1.85

CHILDREN'S CANVAS OXFORDS — Best grade of canvas and rubber soles. Cork or washable insoles. Choice of brown or white. Sizes 4 to 10 — 1.75

MEN'S CREPE SOLED OXFORDS — Black or brown leather uppers. Sizes 6½ to 10 — 6.95

MISSES' CANVAS T-STRAP SHOES — Blue, white, brown and suntan. Sizes 11 to 2 — 98c

CHILDREN'S CANVAS T-STRAPS — Choice of brown, blue, suntan or white. Sizes 4 to 10 — 85c

CHILDREN'S CANVAS T-STRAPS — This shoe has the washable insole and a better than average grade of canvas topsides. Brown, blue and white. Sizes 7 to 10. — 1.49

MISSES' CANVAS T-STRAP SHOES — This is a better quality shoe for better wear. Choice of Natural, Blue, Brown or White. Cork or washable (sanitary) insoles. Sizes 11 to 2 — 1.65

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Municipal Clerk

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Educational Tour To Include Many Interior Points

Itinerary of the Y.M.C.A. educational tour through the Okanagan Valley and other points in the lower interior of British Columbia this summer together with the announcement that there are still a few vacancies available for the trip was released by program director Bob Morrison of the "Y" today.

Final deadline for applications for the trip has been set at June 5.

The Y.M.C.A. group, which will comprise 30 members of the local association, will leave the city midnight July 3 for Vancouver. From there they will board a special bus and proceed through the Fraser River Valley and Fraser Canyon to Kamloops.

Leaving Kamloops the party will journey to Vernon and Kelowna. At Kelowna the group will be taken on an organized tour of fruit farms and other industries in the area. A trip to the experimental farm at Summerland has been planned from which point the party will travel to Penticton.

SEE MINING AREA

After remaining several days at Penticton taking in the main points of interest the tour will continue to Hedley. It is hoped that the party will be able to visit mining establishments in that area.

The group will arrive back in Vancouver July 11.

The object of this and other educational trips is to give "Y" members the opportunity of learning more about other parts of the province, Mr. Morrison said.

Another trip planned by the program group of the association this year is one to Campbell River. No definite date has been set for the up-island trip but it is expected that it will be made sometime in July. It will be a week-end trip by chartered bus.

From Aug. 8 to 15 a Y.M.C.A. group will journey to Forbidden Plateau visiting the famous ice caves and Mount Albert Edward. Movie shots will be made of this trip.

Hostel Group Lists Activities For June

A full program of activities has been planned by the Canadian Youth Hostel Association for the month of June including roller skating parties, organized trips, week-end outings and work parties.

On May 29 a work party is being organized at Mount Douglas Hostel. Group will meet at Hillside and Quadra at 2.30. On May 30 the party will meet at 9.30 with Doreen Bucher in charge.

A roller skating party has been scheduled for June 5 at the Douglas Roller Gardens at 7.30. The following day leader Bob Caley will head a trip to the Saanich Peninsula. Meeting will take place at Hillside and Quadra at 9.30.

Vesuvius, Salt Spring Island hostel, will be the scene of a work party the week-end of June 12 and 13. Jessie Slater will be in charge. Party will leave Hillside and Quadra at 6.30 in the morning and at 3 in the afternoon.

Maureen McCake will be in charge of a trip to Westholme June 19 and 20. Tour will leave at 1.30.

Final trip of the month is to Seattle June 26 and 27. Darry Best will be the leader. Trip leaves the C.P.R. wharf at 5 on June 26.

Oak Bay Promises Decision Wednesday

Greater Victoria School Board has been advised that Oak Bay will have a decision tonight on whether or not arbitration on its share of school costs will be proceeded with.

The City and Saanich agreed to drop arbitration proceedings. Esquimalt approved the school estimates at the beginning.

Trustee R. Green, finance chairman, stated that if Oak Bay decides on arbitration, it should be proceeded with immediately so that the board will know its financial position as quickly as possible.

Chairman Austin I. Curtis said the City, Saanich and Esquimalt pay 85 per cent of school costs and "should have some consideration." He made the statement in connection with the possibility of the 1948 estimates being changed by an arbitration board decision.

The B.C.E.R. received $1,461,249 in 1946 for gas, electric light and electric power consumption in the city. This was contained in a report filed today with Frank Hunter, city clerk, by Douglas A. M. Patterson, B.C.E.R. solicitor.

The Fraternal Order of Eagles will act as hosts to the veterans at the Veterans' Hospital during the May 24th celebrations. Under Chairman Chuck Bowes, the committee will arrange for all veterans to see the parade, but there is an urgent need for private cars to take these men and women to the various events in the celebrations. Anyone wishing to help with this transportation problem is requested to telephone the committee at B 2302.

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7.30—TEXACO STAR THEATRE
8.30—OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS
9.00—PERSONALITY TIME

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Pythian Sisters' Provincial Conference

Executive officers of the B.C. Grand Temple of Pythian Sisters, pictured prior to the opening of their 33rd session in Victoria this morning. Left to right, Mrs. Mary Gold, Vancouver, grand manager; Mrs. Rose Lovell, Duncan, grand senior; Miss Dora Clever, New Denver, past grand chief; Mrs. Sally Chapman, Penticton, grand guard, and Mrs. Evelyn Beduz, Kimberley, grand protector.

Provincial officers of the Pythian Sisters confer with former national executives of the lodge. Seated, Mrs. Irene Aitken, past supreme representative, left, and Mrs. Kate Davies, past supreme chief. Standing, left to right, Mrs. Betty Griffin, grand mistress of finance, from Vernon; Mrs. Drusilla Anders, grand chief, from Nanaimo, and Mrs. Nan Behnsen, grand mistress of records and correspondence, from Vancouver.

Baby Named At Ceremony In St. Matthias Church

In a christening ceremony last Sunday afternoon at St. Matthias Church, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Green received the names Munroe Frederic Compton. Rev. K. L. Sandercock officiated and godparents were the baby's uncle, Mr. Tom Miller, his aunt, Mrs. H. Williams, a visitor from New Zealand and Mr. Alex Urquhart. A family christening robe, belonging to his paternal grandmother, was worn by the babe. Following the ceremony a family tea was held at the home of the parents, 3438 Cook Street. A great-aunt, Mrs. H. M. Addison, presided at the tea table, which was centred with a silver bowl of lily of the valley, flanked with tall white candles in silver holders. An out-of-town guest was the maternal grandmother, Mrs. H. S. Gibson, Duncan, V.I.

Recent Bride Receives Gifts From Co-Workers

The lounge of the B.C. Telephone Exchange was the scene of a miscellaneous shower to honor Mrs. Caroline McLeod, the former Miss McLean, who received a corsage bouquet of violets and lily of the valley on her arrival. Gifts were presented in a decorated box, and Miss M. Burley, chief operator, made the presentation of a Spode dinner set, the gift of the staff. Refreshments were served, with Miss M. Munn and Miss B. Cox in charge.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Cairns entertained with an informal party at their home, 2953 Foul Bay Road, in honor of the forthcoming marriage of Miss Mildred Becker and Mr. W. Hoskyrs. Master Darrell Cairns presented corsage bouquets of roses to Miss Becker and to Mrs. R. Greaves. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. Greaves, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. R. Cairns, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thomas, Mrs. P. Sinnes, Miss M. Becker, Miss M. Patty, Mr. D. Stuart and Master R. Cairns.

In honor of their daughter Noni, on the occasion of her 12th birthday, Mr. and Mrs. G. Shove, gave a party recently at their home "Gallee," Salt Spring Island. Games were played and tea served, the hostess being assisted by Miss Sylvia Crofton and Miss Aisisa Coil. Young guests were Sharron, Mark and Patrick Crofton, Wendy and Bobby Morris, Anne Butterfield, Barbara and Patsy Childerstone, Anne Milner, Evelyn and Norman Mouat, Lucy Gale, Pat Peterson, Anne Nicholson, Jimmy McMillen and Alan Wilson.

Miss Joanne Cowley-Browne, 123 Ontario Street, was hostess at a miscellaneous shower to honor Miss Barbara McVie, a bride-elect of this month. Rosebuds en corsage were presented to the guest of honor and her mother, Mrs. R. McVie on their arrival, and gifts were contained in a large decorated slipper. Mrs. McVie presided when a buffet supper was served from a lace-covered table centred with a pottery bowl of forget-me-nots and pansies. Guests included Mesdames, C. C. Cowley-Browne, W. Petrie, C. Pelly, C. Smith, J. Roberts, J. Murphy, S. Vincent, B. Page, D. Holden, L. P. Cockrell, Schoberg, Miss D. Vincent and Miss Clara Krubinski.

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On behalf of members of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce at Douglas and Cormorant Street, Mr. W. H. Hamilton, manager, presented Miss Doreen Patterson with a set of California pottery as a wedding gift. Miss Patterson will be married this Saturday to Mr. Victor Ernest Copp.

Mrs. Nell Wootten, Miss Betty Palasek and Mr. and Mrs. H. Smith celebrated with a joint birthday party last evening at the home of the latter, 642 Admirals Road. The rooms were attractively decorated with tulips and lilacs. Games and music were enjoyed, with Mr. F. Fairless playing the piano. Other guests, all members of the staff of the Coach Lines Coffee Shop, were Mrs. F. Fairless, Mrs. Frances Mason, Misses Alice Webb, Lois Simpson, B. Feeney and Mr. Keith Gray. The hostess was assisted in serving refreshments by Mrs. Fairless and the Misses Mary, Joan and Catherine Smith.

Miss Edyth Soderman of the Queen Alexandra Solarium, Malahat Beach, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower when the members of the Solarium Junior League entertained Monday evening at the home of Mrs. H. B. McClung, 1539 Wilmot Place. On arrival, the June bride-elect was presented with a corsage bouquet of gardenias and lily of the valley and gifts were presented in a chest in the color scheme of peach and white crepe paper, decorated with pale peach water lilies. The attractively-appointed tea table was centred with a crystal bowl of white tulips and tall peach tapers, presided over by Mrs. R. D. McCulloch, assisted by Mrs. Margaret McClung, Mrs. M. Cuzner and Mrs. I. Fraser. Forty guests were present.

To Attend Class Reunion In East

Mrs. A. J. Tullis left Victoria earlier this week for eastern Canada and the United States, where she will visit her sisters at Deerfield, Mass., and attend a post-war reunion of her class at Smith College, Northampton, Mass., in June. As official delegate from the Greater Victoria branch of the United Nations' Association, Mrs. Tullis will attend the annual meeting of the United Nations' Association in Canada, to be held at the Hotel Windsor, Montreal, Friday and Saturday this week. Later, in the interest of the work of British Columbia Indian Arts and Welfare Society, which recently held the first conference of its kind on Indian affairs at the University of British Columbia, Mrs. Tullis will visit authorities in Ottawa and Washington, D.C. She expects to be away from Victoria about three months.

Studio Recital

Piano pupils of Miss Hilda Kirkby appeared in a successful recital Monday evening at Centennial United Church, assisted by three vocal pupils of Mrs. W. Wittick. Duets, piano and vocal solos were included on the program. Those taking part were Betty Bonfoy, Carol Anne Foster, Jean Crust, Kay Barrie, Carol Sterrock, Dorothy Hutton, Doreen Wilkins, Beverley Hall, Lois Pomeroy, Patsy Townsend, Gail Scharback, Dolores Scharback, Patsy Mackie, Joan Archer, Lorraine Wright, Bryan Wright, Dick Hall, Ralph Nash, Devona Simpson, Larraine Hawkins, Freddie Barry, June Kelly, Marjorie Kinsey, Betty George, Jean Easter and Sylvia Cave.

Recipe For Public Health Workers

VANCOUVER (CP) — Miss Clare M. Hartnett of Seattle has a recipe for public health workers—teamwork and hardy ancestors.

Miss Hartnett, president of Washington State Public Health Association, said here today:

"Don't go into the public health work if you want a job where you can relax and have an easy life. Hardy ancestors are a big help."

She is here for the annual meeting of the Washington State Public Health Association, and will join for scientific discussions with the Canadian Public Health Association, a three-day convention opening tomorrow.

Seamen's Auxiliary Re-elects Officers

Mrs. Vernon Thomson was re-elected president of the ladies' committee, Connaught Seamen's Institute, in annual meeting, Tuesday afternoon at Y.W.C.A.

Other officers, also re-elected for another term are Mrs. W. R. Sayer, honorary president; Mrs. J. W. Church, first vice-president; Mrs. J. Quinn, second vice-president; Mrs. F. Mackenzie, treasurer; Mrs. Claude Gardiner, secretary.

Mrs. C. Collie was reappointed hospital convener for St. Joseph's Hospital and Mrs. Church for the Royal Jubilee Hospital, in place of Mrs. Quinn.

Annual reports showed that hospital visiting had been carried out throughout the year and comforts taken to merchant seamen, with special gifts at Christmas.

Besides continued visits to one seaman from the Ss. Sampep in hospital for four months with a broken back, a parcel of food was sent to his wife and four children in England.

Spiritual Adjustment Needed In World Says Commissioner

"Unless some spiritual adjustment is found to offset the material developments of our age, the future is bleak."

Hon. Sardar Hardit Singh Malik, first High Commissioner to Canada from the Dominion of India, sounded this serious note of warning, in speaking to members of the Women's Canadian Club, yesterday afternoon at the Empress Hotel.

"The fight for democracy, human liberty and the right of every individual to live in peace will not be won," he continued, "until peoples all over the world grant to others the same kind of faith and belief they hold and believe in themselves."

Sardar Malik reminded his audience that a stage in world evolution has now been reached where it is no longer possible for parts of the world to be prosperous while other parts starve.

"It is incumbent on the fortunate ones," he said, "to try and understand with sympathy what is happening with the peoples not so fortunate."

Touching briefly on the new dominion status in India, Sardar Malik gave a brief resume of work accomplished in the past five months under the new government that has brought his country from the verge of civil war and threat of famine to a peaceful and orderly program.

He spoke of the three great reforms that have already taken place, removal of untouchability, granting of equal rights to women in matters of inheritance and establishment of monogamy, "reforms no government in the past has had courage to attempt."

He also touched briefly on the tremendous developments in production of food, education and public health.

"When the history of the past few months is written," he said, "great tribute will be paid to the men and women of India who in hard and unsettled times have been able to go ahead with these reforms."

"India is an old country," he concluded, "with a checkered history of wars and invasions, but through all its history, it has always stood for peace, understanding, tolerance and love.

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Flag To Be Consecrated At Intercession Service, May 30

Intercession service of Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire will be held at St. Saviour's Church on Sunday, May 30, at 11 a.m. at which time a new silk standard, presented to Municipal Chapter by Mrs. Walter Nichol, will be consecrated by Rev. Douglas Kendall.

Misses Reta Price, June Reinhard and Gwen Hall, standard bearers from the junior chapters, will be in the color party.

Final arrangements for the service were made at a meeting of Municipal Chapter, held Monday evening with the regent, Mrs. J. L. Ford, in the chair.

Mrs. W. R. Hobbs, education secretary, reported arrangements were completed for the Empire Day service to be held at the Parliament Square on May 21, with school children taking part. At this time, Mrs. Ford will place a wreath on Queen Victoria's statue.

Ex-service personnel convener, Mrs. H. Southin, reported attending a meeting of the citizenship committee and that plans were completed for the Memorial Day services to be held at the Cross of Sacrifice, Ross Bay Cemetery, on June 6, at 3.45.

Flowers have been placed in the Veterans' Hospital during the month and Provincial Chapter has donated new books to the value of $400 to the library of the same hospital.

Mrs. J. Blowey, postwar convener, reported used clothing to the value of $187.84 sent overseas and requested members to make stuffed toys for distribution next Christmas.

Mrs. C. L. Bishop was named convener of the Queen Alexandra Day tag day to be held on June 5. Mrs. Alfred Carmichael, president, Provincial Council of Women, was guest speaker, her subject, "Price Controls."

Womens' Association, First Baptist Church, Thursday at 2.30, Sunday Schoolroom, B. Lambert to speak on China Inland Missions . . . Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter, I.O.D.E., Friday at 2.30, headquarters.

Enters Song Test

MISS ANNE MARRIOTT

"Cities," a song by two Canadian girls, one from Victoria, has been entered in the Olympic Arts Competition to be held in London, England, this year.

Selected by a committee of adjucators, it is part of a cycle of five songs about Canada.

Words for the song were written by Anne Marriott, a former Victorian, is a well-known Canadian poet now employed as a writer at the National Film Board.

Music was composed by Barbara Pentland of the Toronto Conservatory, who has collaborated several times in writing music for Miss Marriott's radio plays broadcast over CBC.

Miss Marriott, who was born in Victoria and attended Poplars and Norfolk House Schools here has written school broadcast plays and romantic dramas, poems and stories.

She has contributed to more than 50 magazines in Canada, England and the United States, and won the Governor-General's award for 1941 for her poetic work, "Calling Adventurers."

Salt Spring W.A. Anniversary Tea

To celebrate the 25th year of the W.A. to St. George's Church, Ganges Harbor, Salt Spring Island, an anniversary tea was held at the Vicarage, home of Archdeacon and Mrs. G. H. Holmes.

Over 60 guests were received by Mrs. Holmes, who introduced Mrs. W. M. W. Mackenzie, diocesan president, and Miss P. Foster, a vice-president of the diocesan board.

Greetings were read from Vancouver Island branches of the W.A. and friends of the Salt Spring branch.

Corsage bouquets were presented to Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. Mackenzie and Miss Foster. Mrs. S. P. Beech was presented with a life membership and a bouquet.

Twelve members from Vesuvius Bay Circle were among the guests.

Tea was convened by Mrs. J. D. Fletcher assisted by Mesdames E. Adams, F. C. Carter, F. Sharpe, G. W. Taylor, S. Bannister, F. Baker and W. Hele.

Mrs. H. Price and Miss K. Motherwell, president of the Vesuvius circle, presided at the tea table which was centred with a large pink and white anniversary cake.

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WEDDING FRILLS

Dear Dorothy Dix: My daughter, 17 years old, has just announced to me that she is not going to college to finish even her first year there, and that she is going to be married, and she insists upon having a church wedding. We are people of very moderate means and as we had considerable expense with her high school graduation last June, then getting her off to college in September, we do not feel that we can financially afford a wedding at this time, though we would like to make her as happy as possible under the circumstances.

Will you please suggest the most informal and inexpensive church service that we might have that would me free from the criticism of the small town in which we live?

MOTHER.

Answer: If your daughter wanted a church wedding because it gives an added solemnity to the marriage ceremony for a man and woman to make their vows to cleave unto each other in sickness and health, for richer for poorer, until death do them part, it would be easy enough to answer your question. It would be a mere matter of stepping around to the nearest church of their faith, with a few friends or relatives, and there have their clergyman say over them the most solemn words that human ears ever hear.

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But your 17-year-old daughter isn't considering the solemnity of the occasion. She is thinking of how beautiful she is going to look in a bridal gown, and there is no way of doing that cheaply. Even a home wedding runs into money, and by the time father has paid for the wedding finery and the decorations and the refreshments he is burdened with debts.

It is easy to say how silly girls are to want a swanky wedding that they can't afford and how weak the parents are to indulge their daughters in their folly, but I don't know. From the time every girl baby can plan at all, she is dreaming about walking up the church aisle in white satin and orange blossoms, while everybody ohs and ahs about what a lovely bride she makes.

It is the one great moment of her life. Often it is the last one. But it is the one thing she remembers through all the years of cooking and washing and baby-tending, and maybe it is worth what it costs.

St. Mary's — Members of St. Mary's Junior A.Y.P.A. were hosts recently at a social given in honor of John Clark, who is leaving to make his home in Vancouver. Games and dancing were enjoyed by the 50 members present, under convenership of Marianne Browne.

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Young People's Rally Conducted By Union

Final meeting of the British Columbia conference of the United Church of Canada took the form of a young people's rally.

The meeting was conducted by Jack Spiller, conference Young People's Union vice-president, assisted by Sam Gung and Fred Johnson, members of the conference executive. Rev. D. T. I. Forsythe, secretary, Board of Christian Education of the United Church of Canada spoke on the theme, "The Front Line Is Back Here, Now." He named prayer, study, and service as front lines of Christian living, and challenged all young people to renewed vigor and increased action in these areas.

Rev. Stewart Crysdale, minister from Williams Lake, and convener of Christian education for the Cariboo presbytery spoke at a fellowship hour following the church service, showing films of the work in his presbytery.

Musical selections were given by Marilyn and Janice Bacon, winners in the recent musical festival. Jimmie Chow led a short sing-song. Rev. "Bob" Morris, British Columbia secretary for Christian education announced the young people's camp, and urged a large attendance from island groups. Refreshments were served by members of several Victoria groups.

The meeting was well attended with many Victoria young people, as well as several large groups from up-island communities, and other members of the conference.

C.A.C. To Discuss Rising Living Costs

"What can we do now to stem the rise in the cost of living?" will be the subject under discussion at an open meeting to be held under the sponsorship of the Canadian Association of Consumers, Victoria Branch, at the Y.W.C.A. Friday at 8.

Information from Ottawa already received will be presented at the meeting in a discussion to be opened by Mrs. E. M. Bell.

Mrs. Bertha Parsons, president of the Victoria Branch, will be chairman of the meeting, which is open to all organizations and individuals interested in this problem.

English Visitors Reunited With Family Here

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilderspin, pictured above with their daughter, Mrs. G. Steel of Calgary, are visitors from Dunstable, Bedfordshire, England. They are the guests of Mr. Wilderspin's sister, Mrs. Ed Williams, Queen Anne Heights, whom he has not seen for 17 years, and his brother, Mr. [illegible] Wilderspin, Wellington Avenue, with whom he has been reunited after 30 years. Mrs. Steel, who is also the guest of Mrs. Williams, came from Alberta to be with her parents during their month's visit here.

Club Calendar

Overseas wives club, lecture on dressmaking at regular meeting, tonight at 7.30, Y.W.C.A.

Carne Rebekah Lodge No. 45, I.O.O.F. Hall, Douglas Street. Thursday at 7.30. Rebekah degree will be conferred . . . Neighborly Club for lonely people, tonight at 7:30, Friends Meetinghouse, 1831 Fern Street.

Carne Rebekah Lodge No. 45, Thursday at 7.30. All past noble grands wishing to take assembly degree to contact lodge secretary, Mrs. Nellie Howes.

Diocesan Board of the Anglican Women's Auxiliary, regular board meeting, Friday at 10.30, St. Martin's Church. Rev. Canon Michael Coleman will speak on missionary work in northern Ireland . . . Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, Friday at 7.30, K. of P. Hall. Nominations and election of officers, also nomination of district deputy. Past presidents are asked to attend . . . Royal Roads Chapter, I.O.D.E., Thursday at 8, at headquarters, Government Street.

Mrs. Alan Morkill To World Conference

TORONTO (CP) — Dorothy Hooper, executive secretary of the Canadian Council of the Girl Guides Association, announced today that 11 Canadian delegates and observers will attend the 12th world conference of girl guides and scouts at Cooperstown, N.Y., Aug. 13 to 23 inclusive.

Delegates are Mrs. W. Ranking Nesbitt of Toronto and Mrs. S. H. Gandier of Edmonton. Observers include Mrs. Alan Morkill, Victoria.

Vancouver Report — Mrs. E. MacGinnis reported to members of Esquimalt Women's Missionary Society at their meeting yesterday afternoon on the branch meeting held in Vancouver. Mrs. E. King presided and Mrs. S. T. Cook gave the devotional. Mrs. G. L. Gillard reviewed two chapters of the study book. Next meeting will be held June 21 at the home of Mrs. J. Hoods, 1047 Newport Avenue.

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STORES CLOSED MONDAY, MAY 24TH

Clubwomen's News

Food Parcels — It was announced at the last meeting of Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., that food parcels to the value of $12.46 were sent to England during the month.

Sell Programs—During this week, programs for May 24 celebrations will be sold by members of the Solarium Junior League, it was announced at the regular meeting held at the home of Mrs. H. McClung. Mrs. C. Tomlinson will be in charge of the sale. Mrs. W. Cuzner reported a sum of $105.09 was realized from the sale of matches during the month of April. Annual dinner and election of officers will be held June 21 at Colwood, and plans are being made for a Klondike night, with games and dancing, to be held at Shawnigan Lake July 24. Miss Phyllis Wakefield is in charge of arrangements.

Contest Proceeds—Mrs. Cecil Springford presided at the monthly meeting of the W.A. to the Canadian Legion at Ganges, Salt Spring Island, at which it was announced that a sum of $25.60 had been realized for the funds from a contest for which the prize was a chicken dinner donated by Mrs. G. Laundry. Arrangements were made to hold an "All-Day" stall at Mouat's Store as soon as a date is available. Those in charge will be Mesdames C. Springford, A. Francis, W. E. Dipple, A. M. Brown and H. Sjoquist. Mrs. E. Lockwood will convene a candy stall and Mrs. G. Shove will run contests. A donation of $5 was received from J. Kelsey towards the expenses of sending gifts to veterans in hospitals. Mrs. A. B. Elliot turned in $2.40 from the sale of Princess Elizabeth used stamps. Mrs. George Lower reported two parcels of clothing sent to British Legion widows during April.

Home-cooking Stall — Mrs. H. Dean, Mrs. A. M. Brown and Mrs. C. Stuart were elected to take charge of a home cooking and candy stall to be held in the basement of Mouat's store Saturday, sponsored by the W.A. to the United Church at Ganges. At the regular meeting, at which Mrs. C. Tenkie presided, a new member, Mrs. F. F. Cudmore, was welcomed. Treasurer's report showed a balance of $54.56 in the bank. Tea hostesses were Miss Mary Lees and Miss Anna Lees.

Certificates Given—At a recent meeting of Ganges Chapter, I.O.D.E., held on Salt Spring Island, Mrs. W. E. Scott, honorary regent, presented I.O.D.E. certificates of citizenship to the Misses Simone and Paulette Chantelu, who had been associate members of the club. The Misses Chantelu with Mrs. A. M. Brown, were then received as chapter members. Mrs. V. C. Best presided at the meeting and treasurer's report showed a balance of $138.07. Mrs. Best gave a report of the provincial meeting which she attended as delegate and the postwar convener reported enough wool collected for nine blankets. She was asked to purchase material to be made into drapes for the Queen Elizabeth Hospital in London, England. Mrs. W. M. Mouat stated food parcels had been sent to Britain each month and the ex-service personnel convener that magazines, flowers and cigarettes had been sent to veterans in hospital. Tea hostesses were Mrs. J. Mitchell and Miss S. Chantelu.

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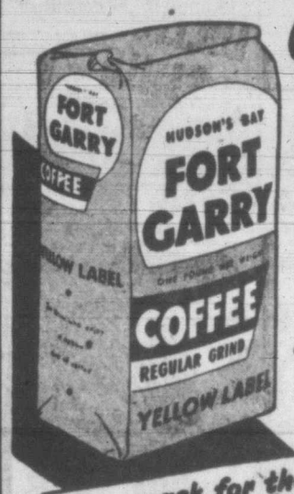

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Navy Band To Play At Beacon Hill Park Memorial Service

Navy, Army and Air Force personnel will take part in the June 6 Memorial Day service at Beacon Hill Park.

This was confirmed at a meeting of the Citizens' Memorial Day Committee of Greater Victoria at City Hall Tuesday.

The Navy band will supply music for the service which will be held in a section of the park at the rear of the new band pavilion.

Mayor Percy George will deliver an opening address at the service and Rev. W. R. Ashford of Centennial United Church will give the main address.

This was decided by the committee in accepting a report of the program sub-committee composed of Rev. K. L. Sandercock and Councillor C. C. Annett of Oak Bay.

Chaplains from the three services will take part and hymns chosen for the service are: "O God Our Help in Ages Past," "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," "For All the Saints." Last post and reveille will be sounded by a Navy bugler.

Programs will be printed and distributed among congregations of city churches to advertise the service.

Chairman of the committee in charge is Ald. F. N. Cabeldu. Attending Tuesday's meeting in addition were Ald. M. Aubrey Kent, Reeve E. C. Warren of Saanich, Councillor F. Higgins of Esquimalt, Rev. Sandercock, representing the Bishop of B.C., and Mrs. H. G. Southin of the I.O.D.E.

Gives Support To Pat Bay Squadron

Further support to the Air Force Officers' Association, which is seeking to have an R.C.A.F. auxiliary squadron stationed at Patricia Bay, was given Monday night by the Ad Astra Branch of the Canadian Legion at a meeting in the Britannia Branch Hall.

The branch passed a resolution requesting immediate government action for the formation of an auxiliary squadron here.

Air Commodore S. L. G. Pope spoke to the meeting.

The branch will hold a rummage sale on June 5 to raise funds for the procurement of branch quarters, it was announced.

Many Entries For May 24 Horse Show

With the steeds on which they will perform at the May 24 horse show at the Willows are, left to right: Shirley Clay on Golden Sun, Anne MacLean on Jack, Bernice Chisholm on Fiddler, Mary Beckton on Tom, Heather Whitworth on King, Sally Simpson on Patches, Susan Stanbury on Roanie, Sandra Robertson on Strawberry, Sheila Olson on Zero, and Dorothy Edgelow on Beverley Belle.

One of the largest entry lists for a local horse show has been received for the May 24 display at the Willows exhibition grounds.

Riders from Vancouver, New Westminster, Chilliwack, Duncan, Cobble Hill, Nanaimo and Salt Spring Island will be on hand in addition to Victoria horsemen and horsewomen. The local equestrians expect stiff competition in their efforts to retain the victory course Bapco challenge trophy.

A variety of events have been lined up and the thriller of the day is expected to be the Pony Express with such daredevil riders as George Porter, G. McGee, Tony Pankhurst and Roy Jewel taking part.

Judges for the show are Col. T. Hill-Irvine and Maj. F. E. Mormersley.

The show is being sponsored by the Victoria Riding Club and will get under way at 2 in the afternoon.

R.C.A.F. Still Has Need For Air Crew And Technicians

Many more air crew applicants are needed for the R.C.A.F., according to Flight Sgt. Les Kelsey, R.C.A.F. recruiting representative for Victoria and Vancouver Island, who has just returned from a recruiting conference at Northwest Air Command, Edmonton.

The conference was presided over by Group Capt. V. Millard, D.F.C. and Bar, Director of Selection and Manning at Air Force Headquarters, Ottawa, who expressed satisfaction with recruiting progress generally although noting that many more applicants were required for air crew intakes which occur approximately every two months.

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Flt. Sgt. Kelsey also reported there are still considerable opportunities in the technical trade for young single men who have junior matriculation or who are one year short of this standing and are willing to accept "in service education."

Full particulars for application for entry into the R.C.A.F. may be obtained by applying in person or by mail to the R.C.A.F. Information Office, 803 Belmont Building, Victoria. Office hours are from 9.30 in the morning to 4.30 in the afternoon on weekdays but after-hour appointments can be arranged. The office telephone number is G 8312.

Assessment Board Appointment Soon

Appointment of an assessment equalization commission, to be charged with bringing into line land and improvement assessments for school tax purposes in the component parts of individual school districts will probably be announced by Education Minister W. T. Straith later this week.

Provision for the appointment of the commission was made in 1947 by the Legislature. During the last session the duties of the commission and the way it will function were further outlined in amendments to the Public Schools Act.

The commission will be of three men, one nominated by the Union of B.C. Municipalities, one by the government and a third, the chairman, by the government.

New Police Course

Second of a series of month-long courses for new recruits on island police forces by the Provincial Police Court opened today with Sub-Inspector Carl Ledoux in charge of the school.

The course will be attended by 12 newer additions of the provincial force, one or two from the city and one from Saanich. It will conclude June 18.

Course deals with a wide range of subjects, knowledge required by policemen of a theoretical nature, some practical work, field practice, administrations, searches for persons missing in the woods, rifle and revolver practice on ranges, policemen's duties at accident scenes day and night and many other features.

Approve Playing Field For College

Victoria College is going to have a playing field at the Lansdowne Road grounds.

Greater Victoria school trustees on Monday night approved a resolution from the College Council that a preliminary $3,000 be appropriated out of the 1946 college surplus account, the money to be spent on the grading, draining and seeding of the field.

Trustee W. Jeune said the cost of the project would total $5,000.

The students' council has offered to hold "working bees" in the autumn after heavy clearing work has been done this summer. Their action will reduce costs.

Float Demonstrates Ideals Of Scouts

The Victoria District Boy Scouts' Association entry in the May 24 Parade will show in pageant form how the Boy Scouts of the present day are based on the attributes and idealisms of the original scouts, frontiersmen and explorers of years gone by. To achieve this, 195 Wolf Cubs, Boy Scouts, Rover Scouts and leaders will enter 10 sections in the parade. These sections will include explorers, an African Safari, North American Indians, and groups showing ambulance, messenger and camp activities, in order to show the public what the present day scouts learn and accomplish.

This being a district activity, all Scout Troops and Wolf Cub Packs in the Greater Victoria area will be represented.

The Eagles' parade committee announces more than 59 entries have already been made in the parade. Others are urged to get their entries in just as soon as possible so that they can be included in the contests.

A fine of $40 and a one-month suspension of his license was handed Robert A. Barker in city police court Tuesday. He was found guilty of dangerous driving recently which arose from an early-morning accident his car was involved in with Earle S. Speller at the intersection of Government and Discovery Streets.

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A's Get Weak Pitching In Second Loss

Vancouver Caps Tee Off On Ward, Goot; Tacoma's Lead Threatened

Cousins to Vancouver Capilanos in the Western International League baseball campaign last season, Victoria Athletics are at it again. Last night on the mainland the current edition of the A's dropped their second straight to the league champions by the one-sided score of 13 to 3.

Athletics didn't give away any runs as the club played errorless ball, but the boys just couldn't score enough runs to keep with the number allowed by Victoria pitchers Larry Ward and Al Goot. Dick Walkingshaw finished up for the A's, working one inning. With Wenatchee again edging Yakima, the Athletics remained in a fifth-place tie with the Packers for fifth spot.

Victoria club today was faced with the prospect of dropping below Vancouver in the standings should the Caps make it three straight tonight.

Ward, who appears to have slipped off after showing good mound form the first two weeks, was pounded hard to give up eight runs in five and two-thirds innings. Goot was nicked for the other five in one and two-thirds. Hunk Anderson, recently purchased by Vancouver from Salem, had little trouble as he fashioned a seven-hitter. He struck out eight.

THREE HOMERS SEEN

Athletics scored the first run in the second, Archie Wilson's double scoring Babe Jensen. Vancouver moved ahead in the third on a home run by Frank Mullens with one aboard. In the sixth, Vancouver put across six runs featured by Joe Kaney's two-run four-base blow. Charlie Meade slammed Vancouver's third homer in the seventh as Vancouver scored another two runs and closed out with three more in the eighth.

In an effort to halt the Victoria losing streak at three games, Manager Ted Norbert is expected to send Del Owens or Len Kasparovitch to the mound tonight. Clubs will be in Victoria tomorrow night to open a four-game series.

Other games last night saw the race at the top of the standings tighten up. Bremerton knocked off the league-leading Tacoma Tigers, 9 to 1, and are virtually tied with Wenatchee for second place, two and a half games behind the leaders.

Bremerton picked up 10 hits, all singles, but took advantage of numerous walks. A pair of bingles, three walks and an error accounted for four runs in the fifth. Five walks and a single produced three tallies in the sixth. Lloyd Hittle, meanwhile, tossed six-hit ball for the Jackets.

Spokane crashed through for five runs in the first inning, another in the third and a final score in the ninth to make it two in a row over Salem.

Short scores follow:

	R.	H.	E.
Tacoma	1	6	2
Bremerton	9	10	0
Nicholsi, Gilson (6), Clary (8) and Rossi; Hittle and Ronning.			
Spokane	7	10	1
Salem	5	9	2
Nelson and Sheely; Lazor, Sporer (2), Stevenson (8) and Hanson.			
Wenatchee	6	7	1
Yakima	5	8	3
Rose, Lierman (9) and Dalrymple; Kittle and Constantino.			

Favored Players Capture Matches In Women's Golf

Play in the city women's golf tournament at Gorge Vale Club ran true to form yesterday in the first round of match play, for the title won last year by Mrs. Art Dowell, as favorites advanced into the quarter final round.

Mrs. Dowell eliminated Miss C. L. Harriss, 4 and 3, while her opponent today, Miss Isabel Jarvis, was defeating Mrs. T. G. Harbis, 5 and 4.

Mrs. Margaret Todd, British Columbia champion, and Mrs. H. T. Matson of Colwood also moved along the playoff trail with Mrs. Todd running up the most one-sided score of the day with an 8 and 7 triumph over Mrs. G. Petch. Mrs. Matson turned back Mrs. D. Fanthorpe, 6 and 5, in her first-round match.

Mrs. E. Livingstone ousted Mrs. A. O. Cooke, 5 and 4, Mrs. Marjorie Todd-Finney defeated Mrs. S. Paterson, 3 and 2; Miss Mary Young bested Mrs. Pocock, 4 and 3, and Miss F. E. Paynter of Ardmore tripped Mrs. R. Fanthorpe 4 and 3 in other matches.

A par competition for all competitors not required to play a match will take place tomorrow. Partners and starting times must be arranged by players.

Second flight results follow: Mrs. O. Carroll defeated Mrs. F. C. McPherson 4 and 3, Mrs. P. Graham won from Mrs. R. Wakelin 5 and 4, Mrs. J. R. Clark defeated Mrs. H. Pearce 2 and 1 and Mrs. A. Swan turned back Mrs. D. C. Palmer 7 and 5.

Semifinals will take place tomorrow with the finals billed Friday.

Good Trouncing

VICTORIA—

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Balassi, lf	4	1	1	3	0	0
Buccola, 1b	5	0	1	11	0	0
Palmer, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Wilson, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Kubiak, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Jensen, 3b	2	1	1	0	4	0
Reed, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Dalton, ss	4	0	1	2	5	0
Ward, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Goot, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Walkingshaw, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
*Hawkins	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	7	24	12	0

*Singled for Walkingshaw in ninth.

VANCOUVER—

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Tran, 3b	6	2	2	1	6	0
Kaney, 2b	5	1	1	3	2	0
Mullens, cf	4	2	2	2	0	0
Warren, rf	3	2	0	1	0	0
Mead, lf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Hjelmaa, ss	2	2	1	0	4	0
Brenner, c	3	1	2	7	1	0
Snyder, 1b	4	0	2	12	0	0
Anderson, p	5	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	13	13	27	13	0

Victoria	010 000 011— 3
Vancouver	002 006 23x—13

Innings pitched: Ward 5 2-3; Goot 1 1-3; Walkingshaw 1. Hits: Off Ward 9, Goot 3, Walkingshaw 1. Earned runs: Ward 8; Goot 5; Walkingshaw 0; Anderson 3. Struck out: By Ward 2; Goot 1; Walkingshaw 1; Anderson 8. Bases on balls: Off Ward 3; Goot 6; Anderson 5. Hit by pitcher: Hjelmaa by Ward. Wild pitches: Goot. Left on bases: Victoria 8, Vancouver 9. Home runs: Mullens, Kaney, Mead. Three-base hit: Brenner. Two-base hits: Wilson, Anderson, Snyder. Runs batted in: Dalton, Mullens 2, Brenner, Anderson, Tran 2, Kaney 2, Mead, Snyder 3, Wilson, Hjelmaa, Balassi. Double plays: Dalton to Palmer to Buccola; Hjelmaa to Kaney to Snyder. Time: 2.38. Umpires: Mathieu and Dehaney.

Kiner, Slaughter Hit Winning Home Runs

Ralph Kiner, whose 51 four-baggers tied him with Johnny Mize of New York Giants for the National League leadership last year, won another game for Pittsburgh Pirates last night with his home-run bat.

He slammed his eighth homer of the season with a mate aboard in the eighth inning to give the third place Pirates a 4 to 3 victory over Bill Voiselle and the Braves in Boston.

The blow snapped a four-game winning streak for Boston and hung the first defeat of the year upon Voiselle, who had won his first four decisions. It also ended Pittsburgh's three-game losing streak.

A freak in the percentage table gave Cleveland Indians the American League lead over Philadelphia despite the fact they trailed the Athletics by half a game. The mathematical oddity occurred when the Indians defeated the A's last night, 6 to 1, in Cleveland. It was their 14th victory in 20 starts for a .700 percentage, a four-point lead over the A's who have won 16 and lost seven for .696.

Cleveland's southpaw freshman, Gene Bearden, scattered six hits for his second victory without a defeat.

DODGERS BEATEN

Enos Slaughter and big Red Munger collaborated to give the Redbirds a 4 to 3 decision over Brooklyn Dodgers in Ebbets field. Slaughter's home run with one on in the sixth inning provided the winning margin for the cards. Munger allowed nine hits but was tough in the pinches.

St. Louis' American League representative, the Browns, not only handed New York Yankees a surprise 6 to 5 trimming, but inflicted the season's first defeat upon right-hander Allie Reynolds, who had won his first five starts. Charley Keller and Johnny Lindell hit homers for the Yankees.

At Detroit, the Tigers spotted the visiting Boston Red Sox a 6 to 0 lead and then tallied seven runs off Dave Jenniss and two successors to win 10 to 7.

Rae Scarborough, third Washington pitcher, won his own game when he singled in Ed Stewart with the run that gave the Senators a 5 to 4 12-inning victory over the White Sox in Chicago.

The Giants inaugurated their home night season by defeating Cincinnati Reds 6 to 5 to remain within a game and a half off the National League lead. Southpaw Johnny Vandermeer was charged with his fifth setback of the season.

In a pitching duel between two southpaws, Johnny Schmitz got the nod over Curt Simmons as Chicago Cubs topped the Phillies 3 to 2 at Philadelphia. All Cubs' runs were unearned.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	1	6	0
Cleveland	6	8	0
Brissie, Savage (2), Harris (7) and Rosar; Bearden and Hegan.			
Boston	7	13	2
Detroit	10	11	0
Ferriss, Galehouse (6), Parnell (6) and Tebbetts; Trucks, White (5), Overmire (7) and Swift, Wagner (7).			
New York	5	11	1
St. Louis	6	9	1
Raynolds, Page (6), Drews (8) and Berra; Fannin, Biscan (5) and Partee.			
Washington	5	10	1
Chicago	4	12	0
12 innings. Hudson, Thompson (7), Scarborough (8) and Evans, Early (10); Goodwin, Pearson (6) and Robinson, Tresh (10).			

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis	4	8	1
Brooklyn	3	9	0
Munger and Rice; Branca and Edwards.			
Chicago	3	8	0
Philadelphia	2	6	4
Schmitz and Scheffing; Simons, Nahem (9) and Seminick.			
Cincinnati	5	8	1
New York	6	6	1
Vandermeer, Raffensberger (8) and Lamanno, Williams (8); Poat, Jones (6), Trinkle (8) and Livingston.			
Pittsburgh	4	9	1
Boston	3	7	0
Singleton, Lombardi (7 and Fitzgerald; Voiselle, Hogue (8), Bickford (9) and Masi.			

Seattle—Buford Ransom, 152, Seattle, stopped Dick Evans, 151, Tacoma, 2.

Coventry, England—Dick Turpin, 156½, London, knocked out Bos Murphy, 158¾, New Zealand, 1. (For British Empire middleweight title.)

Los Angeles—Willie Bean, 207, Los Angeles, stopped Billy McClure, 195¾, Milwaukee 1.

Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

WHEN ROOKIE hurler Frank Logue came through with the smart relief chore for the Victoria Athletics Saturday to beat Yakima the youngster proved he is immune to baseball jockeys. The husky right-hander paid no attention to the barbs and personal wise cracks thrown his way from the Yakima dugout and stopped his tormentors cold by continuing to pitch shutout ball. If Logue had shown the slightest reaction to the taunts the Yakima players would have worked all the harder to ride him out of the game. All young pitchers have to go through the same baptism and Logue came through with colors flying.

BASEBALL JOCKEYING is a recognized art. The jockey rides opposition players and even umpires. He just climbs aboard and digs in with his verbal spurs, seeking to unsettle the mental equilibrium of the fellow he's riding. There have been players who were ridden right out of baseball because their sensitive souls writhed under the barbed lashes of the sharp-tongued fellows on the bench. There were others, such as Ty Cobb and Frankie Frisch, who rose to even fiercer competition heights when they were ridden. One old axiom rival managers applied to Cobb was "Don't stir him up."

UMPIRES ARE continual targets for the jockeys, although they always have the last word in that they can thumb all offenders out of the game However, an umpire with a sense of humor occasionally will let an athlete get away with more than he's entitled to. Others like Frank Dehaney, umpire-in-chief in the W.I.L., are tough on the jockeys and clamp down hard the minute they start piping off.

THERE IS THE memorable occasion when the Cleveland Indians were ridden right out of the American League pennant in 1940. That was the year of their famous rebellion against manager Oscar Vitt when the club won for itself the contemptuous description of "Cry-Babies." Not only did the opposing players level off on the Indians but the fans themselves broke into the act. They wheeled baby carriages to the park, hung out diapers and flaunted baby bottles. One night in Detroit fans gathered outside the hotel where the Indians were quartered and sang "Rock-A-Bye Baby" until dispersed by paper bags filled with water, all dropped by the enraged Cleveland players.

Foul Bay Scores Easy Victory Over Clubmen

It's murder!

That's what a young kid coming away from the lacrosse game at Stevenson Memorial Park said last night after watching the first few minutes of the tussle between Foul Bay and Tillicums.

But he was wrong. The game was rather a dull affair with Foul Bay completely outclassing the young clubmen to romp to their second straight victory of the season with a 9 to 5 triumph over the Arnie Ferguson coached crew.

Nanaimo is the only other club boasting a win in the first three games of the season and other local clubs will have to buckle down to some serious boxla if they hope to catch the smartly-clad and flashy Foul Bay septette.

Either James Bay or Jokers will hit the victory string next as they clash in the Thursday night tilt at Stevenson Park at 6.30. On Saturday the league leaders visit Nanaimo.

LONG STARS

Buzz Long, old holdover from the ranks of the Canadian Legion playing for Tillicums last night was one big reason why Foul Bay did not run their total to double figures.

Long kept the clubmen in the game for the first three periods but could not hold the fort alone especially when his clubmates found goal-getting chores extremely difficult.

Tillicums moved into a 2 to 1 lead halfway through the first period but Foul Bay replied with two quick markers before the breather to take a lead of 3 to 2 and from that point were never headed.

Winners punched home two markers in the second frame to go ahead 5 to 2, and led 7 to 3 at the three-quarter mark after a slow and ragged 15 minutes.

Making a belated rally good for two goals in the early moments of the final period left the short-handed T.A.C. crew dog-tired and Foul Bay rapped in the final two markers with ease.

Teams and scorers follow:

Foul Bay—A. Thompson, L. Scott 1, Gover 1, Malcolm, Olsen, Halbert, Taylor, Chungranes 2, Sage 1, W. Scott 2, Thomas, Ludbrooke 2, J. Thompson, Stubrooke.

Tillicums—B. Long, Lawrence, Druce, Booth, Popham, Ritchie 2, Barry, Shirrick, Leonard 1, Burke, Downs, R. Long 2.

MINOR BASEBALL

Midget baseball games last night saw Tillicums score a 15 to 8 victory over Nobles Warriors and Spencer's down Victoria Bottle Exchange, 9 to 6.

Ruth Oster Hurls Third Straight Win For Eaglettes

Ruth Oster is fast becoming one of the star pitchers in the women's senior softball league.

Last night Ruth checked in with her third straight mound triumph by tossing the league leading Eaglettes to a 19 to 3 victory over Army and Navy Taxi. She allowed the losers but three hits and three passes to first.

Meanwhile, Adverts stayed close to the loop-leaders with a 14 to 1 trouncing of Sidney in another senior fixture.

In the men's senior B league, Langford Athletic Club marked up their fourth straight victory of the season by breaking a 6 to 6 tie in the sixth inning and going on to defeat Douglas Tire, 11 to 8.

Penguin Cafe edged Black and White Taxi, 5 to 3, as the losers showed lack of batting punch and wound up by leaving 15 men on the base paths.

Pro Pats whipped C.C.Y.M., 14 to 7, in a juvenile boys' tilt while Sooke defeated Variety Club, 22 to 12, and Colwood Midgets bested Sooke, 22 to 17, in Colwood League games.

Arcades Capture Senior Tenpin Bowling Crown

Spotting Gorge Hotel the first game Arcades rolled back to take the next three and the championship of the Senior Tenpin Bowling League at the Arcade Alleys last night.

Art Porter topped the winning trundlers with a 769 total for four games. Andy Palmer was best of the losers with 708.

Arcades rolled games of 815, 839, 854 and 890 for a total of 3,418. Gorge Hotel scores were 984, 817, 849 and 757 for a 3,317 total.

Palmer wound up the season as the leading trundler with an average of 188. Porter was second with 180. Harold Paulding had the high three-game total of 698 and Molly Mapes the high single of 268.

Softball Finals To Be Played On Island

Provincial senior A men's softball finals will be held on the island this year it was announced by Ivan Temple, Vancouver Island delegate to the B.C. Softball Association, last night.

Games will be played the weekend of Aug. 21. Winners will leave for the western Canada championships Aug. 26.

Coast senior B men's finals will take place on the mainland the week-end of Aug. 28. Winners will travel to the interior.

Mafosta Second In Hollywood Inaugural

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP)—With Pleasure, second choice to On Trust, won the $25,000 Inglewood Handicap as 28,587 fans ushered in Hollywood Park's 50-day turf season Tuesday.

Leaving On Trust to finish fourth in the closely waged six furlong battle, the Brolite Farm's With Pleasure grabbed the lead in the final strides, with Mafosta second and Fair Truckle third.

Time for the dash was 1.11 1-5. With Pleasure paid $8.50, $4.90 and $4.40 across the board. Mafosta, owned by the Montrose Stable and winner of five straight races at Bay Meadows' recent meeting, paid $5 and $4.20 and Fair Truckle, owned by C. S. Howard, $8.

CRIBBAGE TOURNEY

In the recent cribbage tournament held at the Veterans' Hospital, W. A. Kerr won the championship and possession of the Hudson's Bay Cup. N. Bussy was runner-up. L. R. Stewart and K. Hall won the doubles honors with W. P. Bondeson and O. H. Hansen second.

Vic High Takes Lead In Jump Events Of Interhigh Sports

Victors in three out of four events and scoring one second and one third place to boot, Vic High's junior jumpers last night took a 20¾ to 14 point lead over Oak Bay High in the race for junior honors in the interhigh schools sports meet last night.

Main program of the annual affair is scheduled to be run off at Victoria High School Friday at 1.30.

Ray Lee scored one first for the city high school with a leap of 17 feet 11 inches in the broad jump with Garry Pynn of Central Junior High second.

In the junior boys high jump, Jim Marshall and Graham Cox of Vic High placed one, two, while in the girls high jump Joan Rodger of Vic High and Margaret Laubach tied for top honors with a vault of 4 feet 3⅝ inches.

Lynn Newton of Oak Bay marked up a win for her school by taking the junior girls broad jump. Her winning jump was 15 feet 3½ inches.

Other school totals find Central Junior High with 8¾ points, Mount Douglas 4, Mount View 3½ and Esquimalt 1.

Results follow:

(Point awards are: First, 5; second, 3; third, 2; fourth, 1½; fifth, 1; sixth, ½.)

Junior Boys' Broad Jump—1, R. Lee (V.); 2, Garry Pynn (C.J.H.S.); 3, A. Dawe (O.B.); 4, R. McVie (C.J.H.S.); 5, Notte (M.V.); 6, tied, A. Parsons (V.) and R. Pullen (E.). Distance, 17 ft. 11 in.

Junior Girls' Broad Jump—1, Lynn Newton (O.B.); 2, Pat Pettigrew (C.J.H.S.); 3, Margaret Nixon (O.B.); 4, Val Brown (V.); 5, C. Marshall (V.); 6, J. Buxton (E.). Distance, 15 ft. 3½ in.

Junior Boys' High Jump — 1, Jim Marshall (V.); 2, Graham Cox (V.); 3, Gerry Sagar (M.V.); 4, A. Dawe (O.B.); 5, and 6, tied, Robin Sharpe (C.J.H.S.) and Gamble (M.V.). Height, 5 ft. 2¼ in.

Junior Girls' High Jump — 1, tied, Joan Rodger (V.) and Margaret Laubach (M.D.); 3, tied, Lynn Newton and Diane Heaney (O.B.); 5, Joan Whitten (V.); 6, tied, Patsy Wright (C.J.H.S.) and Alice Proteau (E.). Height, 4 ft. 3⅝ in.

Elementary School Sports Draw Entry List Of Over 1,000

Twenty city schools and over 1,000 competitors will take part in the mammoth sports of the Greater Victoria elementary schools at Macdonald Park Friday starting at 1.30.

Due to the large number of contestants for the many events the grandstand has been set aside for students. Spectators will be accommodated in the bleachers.

In order to get the huge program run off in the limited time of two hours, officials in charge of the meet have arranged for two tracks with 14 lanes in each to be used for the events.

Flat races will comprise the greater part of the program but there are also some novelty races such as sack, corner-spry, skipping and others included in the list of events.

Tommy Warden is in charge of the sports with Joe Emery heading the grounds committee. Jim Bruce and Joe Ross will act as starters with Wally Brynjolfson as chief judge.

Buses will be used to transport the school children to and from the park. Refreshments will also be available to the contestants.

Bombers, Boosters Clash Tonight

Athletic Park will be the scene of tonight's senior baseball game between Boosters and Ben's Bombers, starting at 7.

Bombers are currently sharing a three-way tie for first place in the McGavin Cup race, and will start either Bill Prior or Frank Scroggs in an attempt to pull ahead of Eagles and Navy. Meanwhile, Clint Hodges' youthful squad will be out for their first league victory.

Baseball Standings

W.I.L.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Tacoma	14	7	.667
Bremerton	13	11	.542
Wenatchee	14	12	.538
Salem	13	13	.500
VICTORIA	13	15	.464
Yakima	13	15	.464
Vancouver	11	14	.440
Spokane	11	15	.423

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis	14	7	.667
New York	13	9	.591
Pittsburgh	13	11	.542
Boston	12	11	.522
Philadelphia	13	12	.520
Brooklyn	11	13	.458
Chicago	9	13	.409
Cincinnati	9	18	.333

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Cleveland	14	6	.700
Philadelphia	16	7	.696
New York	13	9	.591
Boston	11	12	.478
Detroit	12	14	.462
St. Louis	9	11	.450
Washington	10	13	.435
Chicago	4	17	.190

COAST LEAGUE

San Francisco	32	13	.711
Los Angeles	29	20	.592
Oakland	26	21	.553
Seattle	22	19	.537
San Diego	24	24	.500
Hollywood	19	24	.442
Portland	15	31	.326
Sacramento	14	29	.326

Again Fail To Elect Softball Executive

The Victoria and District Softball Association is still without an executive.

Meeting again last night the group for the third time this season failed to name a slate of officers.

Next week at a date to be announced later the association will meet once more and if an executive is not named the Island Softball Association will be requested to step in and appoint the necessary officials.

At last night's meeting delegates were present from men's senior B, women's and juvenile leagues.

SOCCER PRACTICE

Esquimalt football team will practice tonight at Macdonald Park, starting at 7.30.

Esquimalt Scores Baseball Victory

With their ace, Tony Bishop, on the mound, Esquimalt High scored their second straight win in the interhigh baseball loop yesterday, downing Mount View, 7 to 5. Bishop gave up five bingles, took seven on strikes and gave up only two walks in the six-inning affair.

Winners scored all their runs in the first three innings, and held Saanichites to a pair in the third and fifth and a singleton in the sixth. Stuart Price did the heavy work for losers, and although reached for only three hits, ran into control trouble and walked five straight batters in the third.

Short score follows:

	R.	H.	E.
Mount View	5	5	3
Esquimalt	7	3	2

Price and Kilshaw, Kozak (2); Bishop and R. McConechy.

SOCCER PRACTICE

Victoria West soccer team will practice at Macdonald Park tonight at 7.

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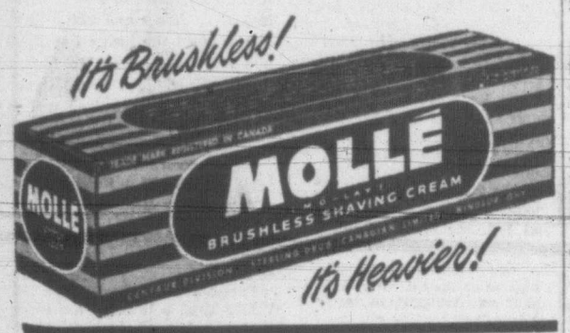

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New Stance, Bats Aid Ken Keltner In Hitting Streak

CLEVELAND (AP) — A new stance at the plate, a pair of borrowed bats and a $5,000 bonus have contributed to Ken Keltner's current hitting spree.

The bats were acquired from Al Rosen, a promising rookie who failed to oust the Cleveland Indians' veteran from his third base post. The bonus came from Tribe president Bill Veeck for Keltner's 1947 performance. Ken adopted the new stance himself.

When Rosen was optioned to Kansas City shortly before the Tribe arrived home from its spring barnstorming tour, he left behind a pair of bats bearing his signature.

One afternoon, in an effort to head off an impending slump, Keltner picked one up and tried it in batting practice. It felt good, it sounded good when it met the ball, but more than that, it drove two out of the park in the first six swings.

That was enough for Keltner. He used it in the final two exhibition games against New York Giants and got five hits in eight trips to the plate.

ONE BAT LEFT

As the season opened, it was the same story. At one point it seemed as if the streak might end as Keltner caught one of Dizzy Trout's fast balls on the handle and snapped the lucky club in two.

But the mate proved just as effective and Keltner has continued at a pace that has netted a .356 average and 12 circuit smashes for the major league leadership. Keltner already has surpassed last year's total home run output of 11.

His all-time major league high was 26 round-trippers in 1938, his first full season with the Tribe.

Ken has adopted a stance closer to the plate and a constant effort to make use of his full power by pulling the ball.

Manitoba Sends Trio To Boxing Trials

WINNIPEG (CP) — Manitoba will send only three representatives to the Dominion Olympic boxing trials at Montreal late this month.

Following last night's provincial championship tournament, W. R. Milton, secretary of the Winnipeg Police Athletic Association, announced the three-man team, all provincial champions. They are Ed. Zastre, light heavyweight; Chick Livingstone, middleweight, and George (Dodie) Sinclair, featherweight.

Victoria High Track Winners

Ray Lee, left, and Val Brown captured the junior track and field championships at the Victoria High School sports held last week.

Rainiers Put Over Sixth Straight Coast Ball Win

Slowly, gradually, the San Francisco Seals are widening the margin of their leadership in the Coast League baseball chase.

They whipped Oakland last night, 3 to 2, and today were five full games ahead of Los Angeles. Lefty O'Doul's club won on two home runs, one by Mickey Rocco in the third, the other by Gene Woodling in the fifth. Both homers landed in the right-field stands.

Will Hafey, sold to Cleveland for 1949 delivery, was the victim of the Seals.

Los Angeles failed to keep pace by losing to the surging Rainiers of Seattle. The final score was 4 to 3. Left Herm Besse hurled a steady game for eight innings. In the ninth, after fanning the first two men to face, he was touched for a single by Eddie Malone and pitcher Tom Hafey, recently released by Oakland, went in as a pinch hitter and slammed a triple. Bob Hall relieved Besse and Fanned Eddie Lukon.

FIFTH STRAIGHT

It was the sixth victory in succession for the improving Seattle club and Besse's fifth straight pitching victory. Red Lynn of the Angels, seeking his fifth straight win, was the losing pitcher. The game was played in cool weather and only 2,545, smallest Los Angeles crowd of the year, was on hand.

Gus Zernial's two 430-foot home runs gave Hollywood's Stars a 9 to 6 decision over San Diego. The big outfielder was joined in the circuit clouting by Buster Adams and Jack Graham. Graham's homer was his 19th of the season.

Babe Dahlgren's home run with two aboard in the fifth inning was a big factor in Sacramento's 7 to 3 triumph over Portland.

	R.	H.	E.
Hollywood	9	11	2
San Diego	6	8	1
Smith, Albosta (7) and Kahn; Jurisich, Thompson (8), Welden (8) and Race.			
Sacramento	7	12	1
Portland	3	7	3
Cecil, O'Neill (8), Salveson (9) and Sisk; Di Biasi, Mooty (8), Wyatt (9) and Silvera.			
Seattle	4	10	1
Los Angeles	3	9	0
Besse, Hall (9) and Grasso; Lynn, Kleine (8) and Malone.			
San Francisco	3	7	0
Oakland	2	6	1
Werle and Leonard; W. Hafey and Raimondi.			

Youthful Danish Team Advances In Cup Tennis Play

LONDON (AP)—The line-up was set today for the quarter-final round of the European zone Davis Cup tennis eliminations and one of the big questions was: how tough are Denmark's teenagers?

The Danish team scored its second major surprise yesterday by eliminating Ireland, three matches to two.

Seventeen-year-old Kurt Nielsen won the decisive match for Denmark by defeating Cyril Kamp, 6-4, 8-6, 6-3. Guy Jackson of Ireland later turned back 19-year-old Torben Ulrich of Denmark, 6-4, 2-6, 6-2, 6-3, in a match that didn't matter.

The next foe for the youngsters, however, promises to be a harder proposition. They play a Swedish team that eliminated Spain and Switzerland without losing a match.

The rest of the quarter-final schedule which must be completed by June 15 is: Holland vs. Britain, Italy vs. Denmark and Czechoslovakia vs. Belgium.

The winner of the European zone will face the American zone victors in August to determine who will challenge the United States for the trophy Sept. 4 to 6.

Dodds May Run In Two Meets Same Day

NEW YORK (AP)—Gil Dodds, who thinks nothing of running the mile and two-mile on the same program, may try a new twist next month—appearing in track meets at Boston and New York on the same day.

The world indoor record holder and the chief hope of the United States in the Olympic 1,500 meters expects to return to competition in the New England A.A.U. championships at Boston June 12.

Noel Harris, manager of a charity meet scheduled here the same day, said Dodds was considering running in both meets, making the trip by plane.

TIDES

May	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.	Time h.m.	Ht ft.
19	6.39	4.0	12.36	6.1	17.51	5.1	.....	
20	0.14	8.4	7.19	2.9	15.48	6.4	18.44	6.0
21	5.38	8.6	7.59	1.8	17.14	7.1	19.30	6.7

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Thompson's Four Straight Triumphs Best In Coast Loop

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Three right-handers were the big pitching guns of the Pacific Coast League through games of last Sunday.

They were Gene Thompson of San Diego, who topped the circuit with four wins and no defeats; Con Dempsey, San Francisco rookie, with three victories and no setbacks and reliable Japhet (Red) Lynn of Los Angeles. Lynn's performance actually overshadowed the rest through May 16. He had seven wins, one loss and led in strikeouts with 42

Other averages included:

	W	L	SO	Pct.
Peek, Seattle	3	0	8	1.000
Besse, Seattle	4	1	17	.800
Barrett, Seattle	6	2	28	.750
Heiser, Portland	4	2	27	.667
Di Biasi, Portland	5	3	35	.625
Speer, Oakland	3	2	11	.600
Gorsica, Seattle	4	4	36	.500
Karpel, Seattle	2	2	13	.500

Mierkowicz Sold To Seattle Club

DETROIT (AP)—The Detroit Tigers announced today sale of outfielder Edward F. (Big Ed) Mierkowicz, 27, to Seattle of the Coast League.

A native of suburban Wyandotte, he played with Hagerstown, Md., in 1944 and with Buffalo in 1945-46 before coming up to Detroit last year. He hit 21 home runs in 1945 but batted only .190 for the Tigers in 21 games.

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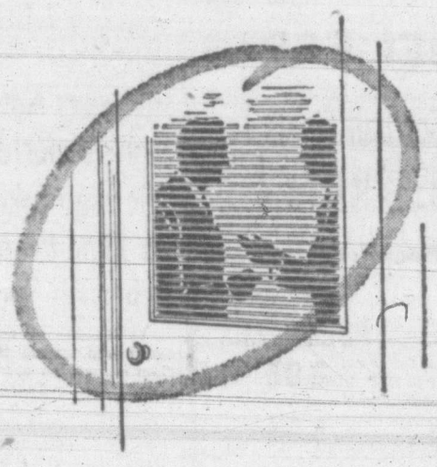

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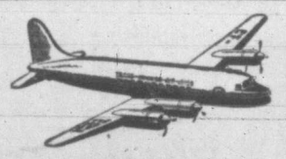

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Machine To Mark School Examinations Investigated Here

The B.C. education department is investigating the feasibility of using a machine to relieve the department of part of the burden of marking thousands of examination papers annually.

The test-marking machines have already been tried out in Edmonton, apparently with some success and British Columbia has had 10,000 special examination papers marked there to learn the potentialities of the machine. It is claimed that it has a maximum potential scoring rate of 120,000 questions an hour.

"I'm not completely satisfied with the machine," said Dr. C. B. Conway, director of the education department's tests and standards division. The success of the machine, he said, depended on the markings put on the papers by the students.

Operation of the machine also requires a trained person and checking of the accuracy of the machine is also necessary.

USED AT UNIVERSITY

Alberta, however, is planning to use the machine to score 50 per cent of the final examination papers from the University of Alberta's education faculty and six high school examinations this summer.

The machine scores type of examinations known as "multiple choice" and "true and false." Answers are recorded by heavy pencil marks on a special sheet or card. The sheet is fed into the machine and when the pencil marks are in the right places they complete electrical circuits thus operating the scoring system.

According to reports from Edmonton sheets with up to 300 questions can be processed by the machine.

Consents Not To Fight Deportation

Harry Lewis, otherwise known as Harold Finkelstein, wanted by Los Angeles police on charges of obtaining money under false pretences, consented today to return to California without fighting deportations proceedings.

The accused appeared before Judge H. H. Shandley in County Court and waived the right to fight extradition proceedings. He agreed to leave Canada under the protection of a sergeant-detective from Los Angeles.

Judge Shandley warned Finkelstein that his going back without fighting deportation would mean that Los Angeles police could now lay any charges against him on his arrival in California. If he had fought the deportation order, United States police would have only been able to try him on one charge.

Building Controlled In N. Saanich Area

The Provincial Government today took control of building and subdividing properties in the north Saanich area.

The whole area has been created the North Saanich Regulated Area, zoned into rural, urban, commercial and industrial areas, in which the size of lots and buildings which may be erected on them have been limited by the government.

No property may be subdivided into residential lots of less than 7,500 square feet, with a width of less than 60 feet and a depth of less than 100 feet, unless specifically excepted. Minimum size of commercial lots is fixed at 30 by 100 feet.

The minimum area for a house is fixed at 500 square feet.

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Attend Chris Spencer Birthday Party

Among the 44 members shown before the special bus which was to take them to Nanaimo and thence to Vancouver for the birthday party tendered Chris Spencer, president of David Spencer Limited, are: J. V. Barnes, director, with Mrs. Barnes; W. H. Wightman, retired superintendent of the Victoria store; William Bond, president of the sports and social club; E. H. Street, director, and Mrs. Street, and D. M. A. Murray, president of Spencer's Remnants.

Forty-four members of the Victoria store of David Spencer Limited returned to the city this morning following the banquet tendered Chris Spencer, C.B.E., by executives, managers, department managers and members of Spencer's 25-year Club on the occasion of his 80th birthday. The banquet was held Tuesday night, in the dining-room of David Spencer Limited, Vancouver.

Nine members from Nanaimo with the managers of the stores at Duncan and Courtenay comprised the island contingent. The Victoria group left by bus for Nanaimo Tuesday and took the afternoon boat to Vancouver. Nearly 400 attended the banquet.

Seated at the head table with Mr. Spencer, whose birthday was Monday, were many members of the Spencer family, including Miss Sara Spencer of Victoria, Col. Victor Spencer, Mrs. G. G. McGeer and Mrs. T. McCrossan, all of Vancouver.

Rt. Rev. Sir Francis Heathcote said grace and A. Battersby, chairman, gave the toast to the King.

Mr. Spencer, who is the eldest son of the founder, David Spencer, and for 28 years president of David Spencer Limited with stores in Vancouver, Victoria, Nanaimo, New Westminster, Chilliwack, Courtenay, Duncan, Mission and Fourth Avenue, then cut his birthday cake.

Address and presentation of a framed personal portrait done in oils was made by M. Blaney.

"We join in wishing you a very happy birthday, good health and many years of continued leadership among us and the enjoyment of your kindly personal association in our service," Mr. Blaney said.

"We have long learned to deeply respect, admire and appreciate your wide experience and guiding hand through the vicissitudes of the years and in making this anniversary milestone, we link with it a warm tribute to your own many years of store activity—a period which covers the entire history of your company's life and its development from a little one-man business in Victoria into one of B.C.'s institutions.

"The achievement we believe has been the outcome of your constant observance of the sound principles of merchandising which your father laid down and instilled in you."

Miss Margaret Fairfull, skipper of the 25-year Club, was in charge of all arrangements for the Victoria group who attended the banquet.

Budget Stirs Mixed Feelings

While the majority of citizens, questioned this morning as to their opinions on Finance Minister Abbott's new budget, said they had not had proper time to give the matter their fullest consideration, it was generally felt that "the little man, who pays the taxes, should have been given a break."

W. J. Kenton, jeweler, expressed himself as being glad to see the removal of the 25 per cent luxury tax on silver-plated cutlery and alarm clocks.

"It is definitely a step in the right direction. But I believe it should have covered other essential items. Lower-priced watches should have been declared tax free. The importance of time in this day and age makes a watch essential."

"It is absolutely wrong also for the government to tax gold wedding rings," Mr. Kenton added. "They are essentials too. Tradition demands them."

Don Parkinson, manager of the K Shoe Store, said he had been hopeful the 8 per cent sales tax on clothing and shoes would have been reduced this year. "They are certainly essential items."

With regard to setting March 31, 1949, as the deadline for government payment of the refundable portions of the 1943 and 1944 income tax, he noted: "It's about time we got it back."

STIFLING INDUSTRY

Greater taxation relief had been hoped for by William Clark, manager of the Dominion Hotel.

"I believe the present heavy taxation is stifling industry," Mr. Clark said. "We are all concerned about Communism these days and I think it should be noted that high taxation is one of the methods recommended by Karl Marx for the bringing about of socialism."

Belief that Mr. Abbott is carrying Canada's program of saving U.S. dollars a little too far by the continued embargo of American-grown fresh fruits and vegetables was expressed by Walter S. Miles, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce.

"The women of the country—especially the housewives—should be given consideration. These restrictions are a sort point with them. They haven't been able to buy lettuce or celery and now I see they soon won't be able to buy cabbage.

"These regulations make it hard on the women who have to plan meals for their families," he said.

In reference to the finance minister's announcement that there would be no cuts or exemption changes in the income tax field for persons under 65, Mr. Miles said he believed a little relief should have been given everyone.

Francis Mowat Shandley, assessor for the Victoria assessment district, has been named collector for the Victoria collection district of the Provincial government. He succeeds John Johnstone McCreadie.

Webster President Of Dental Society

Dr. A. S. Webster has been elected president of the Victoria and District Dental Society, it was reported today. The election took place at the final meeting of the society for the 1947-48 season held in the Empress Hotel.

Other officers elected were Dr. C. Usher, vice-president, and Dr. W. Westwood, secretary-treasurer.

Appointed to the executive committee were: Dr. A. H. Gunning, Dr. C. Mess and Dr. J. D Johnson.

In his annual report, Dr. Johnson, retiring president, thanked all members for their support during the season. A favorable financial report was submitted by the retiring secretary-treasurer, Dr. D. Parfitt.

Visits Odeon Here

Hon. J. Earl Lawson, K.C., president and general manager of Odeon Theatres of Canada Ltd., who paid a brief visit to Victoria this week to inspect Odeon holdings in the city.

Missing Juryman Holds Up Trial In Assize Court

One juryman was missing from Assize Court today for the trial of Robert J. Carlow and Jack Kane, both charged with breaking and entering the United Engineering Ltd., 575 Pembroke Street, with intent to steal.

The missing man was finally located, but the trial was held up for nearly 30 minutes. Police said the man forgot he was serving on the jury.

Insp. J. V. Vance, provincial chemical analyst, Vancouver, was the last Crown witness called to the stand to testify with regard to iron particles found in the trouser cuffs of the accused. He said the metal was similar in composition to metal kept in the store.

The witness also said a calcium compound found on the shoes of Kane was similar to calcium which was stored in the Pembroke shop.

J. B. Clearihue is Crown Prosecutor. Joseph McKenna is counsel for the defense. The case is expected to end late today.

Victorian Aids In Compiling R.C.A.F. Handbook On North

Among R.C.A.F. officers active in the preparation of the most comprehensive record of Canadian "frontier" aerodromes yet compiled is Flt.-Lt. John Drake, formerly of the Times advertising department.

The record is being prepared by the R.C.A.F. as a handbook for fliers operating in Canada's northland, it was announced today by National Defence Minister Brooke Claxton.

Flt.-Lt. Drake, in 1946, was responsible for the rediscovery of the elusive Spicer Islands. He has a fund of knowledge of Canada's northern frontiers gained during hundreds of hours over Arctic areas.

In 1947, he piloted the R.C.A.F. Canso aircraft which carried Department of Mines and Resources scientists on Operation Polco, to establish the relocation of the north magnetic pole.

The handbook, officially known as the R.C.A.F. Directory of Hinterland Aerodromes, will contain complete information on over 450 air and water bases. It is planned to have the first copies of the directory in the hands of the air force aerial photographic crews when they leave for their northern bases this summer.

It is hoped that the 1948 aerial survey season, together with additional information from other arctic sources will result in the addition of at least 200 aerodromes for the next edition of the directory.

Suffers Broken Leg

Cecil M. Graham, 3561 Savannah Avenue, suffered a broken leg Tuesday afternoon in an accident at the Kingham-Gillespie coal wharf, city police report. He was loading coal from a barge with a mobile loader when his right leg was caught between the rear of the loader and the barge. He was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital by police and is being attended by Dr. A. D. Bechtel.

Pleads Guilty To Theft From Meters

As a result of police investigations into the recent parking meter robberies, Cecil Thomas McMartin, 18 years old, Victoria, was arrested last night. He appeared before Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court this morning and pleaded guilty to robbing two meters of $1.15 on Langley Street.

He was picked up last night by Detectives Norman Bath and Fearon Woodburn. Report to the court was that the machines were pried open with a screwdriver.

At 2 this morning Constable Jack Mason reported three Langley Street meters and a like number on Bastion Street broken into. Accused was remanded to next Wednesday by Magistrate Hall to enable time to secure a report from the probation officer.

Earl S. Speller was found guilty on a charge of dangerous driving at the conclusion of his trial before Magistrate H. C. Hall in City police court today. He was fined $40 and his license was suspended for three weeks. Accused was in collision with a car driven by Robert A. Barker at the intersection of Government and Discovery Streets on May 8. The Speller car was toppled over by the impact and sustained $831 worth of damages.

Retired Railway Agent Dies Here

Harry Edgar Douglas, former Great Northern Railway agent in Victoria, died at his home at 1415 Cook Street this morning at the age of 72.

Mr. Douglas came here in 1936 from Fernie where he was G.N.R. agent for both Fernie and Nelson. He retired from his Victoria post in 1942.

He was past master of Camosun Lodge No. 60, A.F. and A.M., and a member of the Knights of Pythias.

He leaves his wife, Laura Douglas, and two daughters, Mrs. Grace Bebb, Victoria, and Miss Norma Douglas at home.

Thomson Funeral Home is in charge of funeral arrangements which will be announced later.

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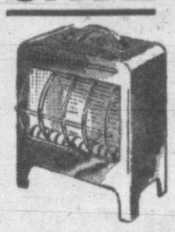

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News of the Island

Large Audience At Duncan Hears Arion Club Concert

DUNCAN—Forty members of the Arion Male Voice Choir of Victoria presented the annual recital in Duncan, to a large and appreciative audience in the Knights of Pythias Hall, under auspices of Maple Lodge No. 15, Monday night.

Eric Hulatt conducted.

Highlights of the well-balanced program were "Invictus," arranged by Daniel Prothero; "Soldiers' Chorus" from Gounod's "Faust," and the ever-popular favorite with Arion audiences, "The Border Ballad." The lighter numbers given as encores, included "Lassie of Mine," "Irish Folk Song," "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms," "Ashes of Roses," and "Lullaby," the latter two selections being unaccompanied. Presented as soloists with choral arrangements were tenors, Thomas Kelway, James A. McVie, and Leslie Harmsworth, baritone. Among the several selections repeated by popular demand, "Johnnie Comes Down to Hilo," a comicial sea-shanty featuring Tom Kelway, was particularly effective.

Leslie Harmsworth, bass baritone, was heard in two solo groups, which included "Give a Man a Horse." Helen McVie was accompanist for the choir and soloists.

The final apeparance this season for the choir will be a special program given Friday night in the Armories as part of the crowning ceremony for Victoria's May Queen.

Lake Cowichan Elk Home Ready In Fall

LAKE COWICHAN — The $20,000, two-story B.P.O. Elks home here is well advanced and expected to be completed by fall.

Measuring 62 by 34 inside, the building has a full-size basement above ground level, which will house a banquet room, kitchen and furnace. Various clubrooms will occupy the main floor while the top floor will be used as a lodgeroom.

The exterior of the building will be finished in stucco and the interior in plaster. Doors and windows are now installed and cement steps lead to two entrances of the building, fronting on Riverside Drive.

Paul Bethke, local contractor and Brother Elk, has contributed his supervision to the building and many members of the lodge here, have contributed time and labor to the project to date. Specialized work has been let to sub-contractors.

Film On Cancer At Health Meeting

MILNE'S LANDING — Films on cancer and problem children were shown by Miss E. Urvoid, R.N., at the Sooke School District Health Committee, held in Milne's Landing High School, at which Mrs. J. M. Elliott presided.

Miss D. Paulin, senior public health nurse and Mrs. S. Orwin were guests at the meeting.

LANGFORD — Teen Towners will hold a games' party in Community Hall tonight, followed by a modern and old-fashioned dance at 8.

A card party will be held in Canadian Legion Hall Friday and a games' night May 26.

Plan All Sooke Day

SOOKE — The holding of an "All-Sooke Day" for 1948, will be up for discussion when Sooke Community Association meets Friday night at 8 in Sooke Hall.

Wheat Queen May Live Here

Mrs. Amy Kelsey of Erickson, the world's only wheat queen, is in Victoria, looking over prospects for a home here.

Will Be 90 Years Of Age On June 5

John Bothwell, 861 Fleming Street, will celebrate his 90th birthday on June 5.

Born in Gray Township, County of Huron, Ontario, on June 5, 1858, Mr. Bothwell made his first visit to Victoria just before 1890 when the first C.P.R. excursion trip was run through from the prairies to the coast. From then on, Mr. Bothwell, a retired stonemason, was a constant visitor to the city, traveling here every winter he could spare.

Widowed at 28 years of age, Mr. Bothwell carried on by himself, stopped his work as stonemason shortly after the turn of a century, later bought a half-section of land in Manitoba which he worked himself.

Finally, he decided to make Victoria his final home and moved here six years ago to settle down.

Accept Sidewalk Construction Plan

LAKE COWICHAN—A special meeting of ratepayers on Riverside Drive accepted a proposal whereby they would bear 20 per cent of the cost and the village 80 per cent, on construction of proposed sidewalks.

A local improvement by-law will be drafted and a plebiscite taken, to be voted on by those affected.

The proposed sidewalks would be laid on the north of Riverside Drive from a dress shop near the wharf to Liesu's store by the bridge over Cowichan River and on the south side from the light plant to the bakery.

Villagers have been asking for construction of sidewalks along the main street for some time. The village resources for the year have all been allocated with only $1,000 available for sidewalks. The village commissioners brought down a report to the meeting and presented their proposal for financing which was accepted.

Many Cargo Ships Get Lumber At Tahsis

TAHSIS—With the production of lumber increasing all the time here at the Gibson Brother's Mill, many deep-sea freighters from all parts of the world are visiting this port to take on cargoes of lumber.

The Industria, a large deep-sea freighter with a capacity of 4,600,000 feet of lumber is in Tahsis this week taking on a cargo of 1,400,000 feet of lumber. It took on half a cargo at Frazier Mills before coming here and will leave with its cargo for Liverpool, England.

G. E. Bower Named Choir Director

G. E. Bower has been appointed choir director at the Church of Our Lord. Mr. Bower received his early musical training as a King's Chorister in St. George's Chapel, Windsor Castle. He subsequently went to Manchester Cathedral as male alto soloist and later to Trinity College Choir, Cambridge, of which Dr. Alan Gray was musical director.

He received his orchestral and band training at the famous Knellar Hall, and since coming to Canada has done considerable choral and instrumental work. His many duties in Victoria include that of supervisor of music at Oak Bay schools and conductor of the Oak Bay High School choir. Associated with him as organist at the Church of Our Lord will be J. Ingram Smith, formerly organist at First United Church.

Claire Hamilton pleaded guilty before Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court Tuesday to dangerous driving on Douglas Street May 13. He was given a $40 fine and his license was suspended for three months. Police evidence was accused had been paced at speeds between 40 and 50 miles an hour, including 25 miles an hour in a school zone.

Mayor Commends Cons. Strong For Prisoners' Capture

Constable James Strong, member of the Victoria Police Department who Saturday night caught prisoners Robert N. J. Carlow and Bernard Bowcott en route to freedom after escaping from the Fisgard Street jailhouse, has been personally commended by Mayor Percy E. George for his capture.

"It is with much pleasure I offer you my personal congratulations for your alertness and unflinching application to duty," he wrote to the constable, "and you have every right, in my opinion, to feel a deep sense of satisfaction for your action as it did much to maintain and further the honor and esteem of Victoria's police force."

The mayor felt sure his fellow members of the police commission would be happy to associate themselves with the sentiments he expressed in the letter.

"On behalf of the commission I say, 'well done and thank you'," Mayor George concluded.

City Council will meet Thursday afternoon at 2. It will be a regular meeting in place of one scheduled for Monday which is the May 24 holiday.

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St. John Ambulance Brigade has made arrangements for a reserved area to be roped off for the use of aged and infirm people to see the May Day parade. There will be members of the men's brigade and of the nursing divisions, in attendance, who will do all they can to make a pleasant time for those who would otherwise not be able to be there. Reservations may be obtained at St. John Ambulance Brigade Headquarters, 715 View Street, or by phoning G 5436, before May 22.

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- To conserve all available U.S. dollars for essential purchases, a travel ration of $150 U.S. per person for the 12 months between Nov. 15, 1947 and Nov. 15, 1948 has been established. Be sure to get the necessary forms and details at your bank, well in advance of your trip.

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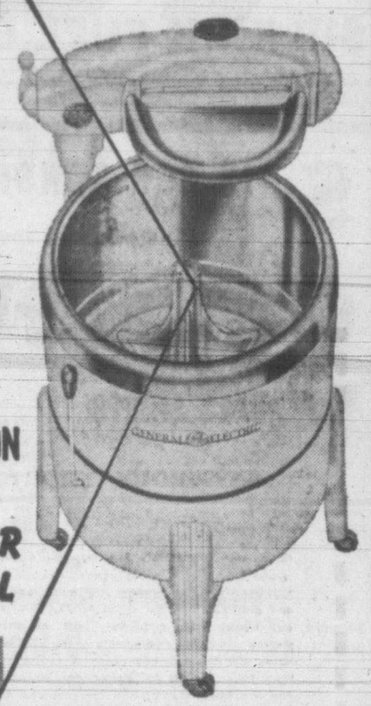

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Wholesalers' Profit 45% On Oranges

OTTAWA (CP)—The Commons prices committee Tuesday found that prices of oranges followed much the same pattern on the Pacific coast as elsewhere in the country after import restrictions were imposed last autumn. They went up sharply.

The committee spent the afternoon examining J. G. Bowers, director of Slade and Stewart, Vancouver fruit and vegetable wholesalers, after having representatives of Dominion Fruit Ltd., a prairie firm, before it in the morning.

Financial records produced by the firms followed much the same pattern. Slade and Stewart, subsidiary of the Seattle firm of Pacific Gamble Robinson Co., presented records which showed that its profit on a case of oranges rose from $1.63 Nov. 13 to $2.60 Nov. 27. The margin of profit on the latter figure was 45.2 per cent.

Mr. Bowers said the figures dealt only with oranges known in the trade as "288s" which are the most popular size. Equivalent profits were not made on larger and less popular sizes.

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New Drill Team Ready To Make Debut

Victoria Eagles Girls' Drill Team, lined up in their drill hall. The full team consists of 40 girls and is led by Mrs. C. Holt, pictured in the centre. This week-end the girls, who are all under 16, will make their first appearance here.

Bomb Reported Dropped When Reds Conferring

NANKING (AP)—The government today announced one of its planes bombed a building in which Communist president Mao Tze-tung and 200 other Red leaders were confering.

The announcement, by Lt.-Gen. Teng Wen-yi, said 80 were killed or wounded by the bomb, dropped at Fapinn in western Hopeh province on May 13.

In the past, several top Communist commanders, including Gen. Chen Yi, reported killed by national air power, usually reappeared.

Teng credited National intelligence agents in West Hopeh with the information on the bombing, but made no attempt to identify any of the casualties.

B.C. Delegation Guests Of Lord Mayor

LONDON (CP) — Prices of British manufactured goods for export are not as high as the prices of raw materials Britain is importing, Sir Frank Newsom-Smith, president of the London Chamber of Commerce, told members of the British Columbia buyers' delegation, entertained at a dinner Tuesday by the Lord Mayor of London at the Mansion House.

"Many of our good friends from Canada have spoken to me of the high prices prevailing this year," he said. "But I must remind them that the prices of the materials we are importing are still higher."

British Columbia Minister of Trade and Industry Leslie H. Eyres replying to the toast to the visitors, said he believed British Columbia "has its roots more deeply planted in the United Kingdom than any other province of Canada."

Mr. Eyres told how the B.C. trade delegation had been formed to "improve the balance of trade between British Columbia and Britain, our best customer," and concluded by saying "we believe England will come back and come back strong—the bulwark of democracy it has always been."

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2½ teaspoons baking powder
½ teaspoon salt
½ cup shortening (part butter)
½ teaspoon vanilla
1 cup granulated sugar
2 eggs, well beaten
¾ cup milk

Preheat oven to 350°F. Grease and lightly flour two 9-inch round layer cake tins or one 9-inch square cake tin. Measure sifted Velvet Flour into sifter placed over waxed paper; add baking powder and salt and sift together. Cream shortening until fluffy; add vanilla and gradually add the sugar, beating until creamy; add beaten eggs, and beat again until light and creamy. Add flour mixture to creamed mixture alternately with the milk, beginning and ending with dry ingredients. Mix just until blended—do not beat after flour has been added. Turn into prepared tins and bake in a moderate oven, 350°F., 25-30 minutes for layers or 45-50 minutes for the square cake. Let stand 5 minutes; turn out. Fill cold layer cakes with a lemon or cream filling, and cover with Seven-Minute Frosting—or make double the frosting and use for both filling and frosting; frost a single cake.

SEVEN-MINUTE FROSTING

1 egg white
¾ cup granulated sugar
1 tablespoon corn syrup or ¼ teaspoon cream of tartar
3 tablespoons water
½ teaspoon vanilla

Combine all ingredients, except flavoring, in top part of double boiler and beat with rotary beater until blended. Place over rapidly-boiling water and continue beating for 7 minutes, or until the frosting is fluffy and will hold shape. Remove from boiling water, add flavoring and beat 1 minute longer. Sufficient to frost 9-inch layer cake.

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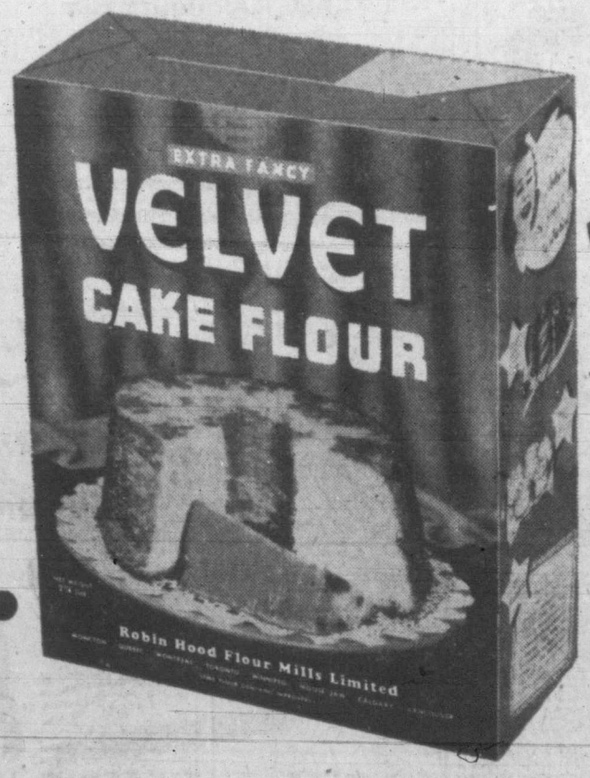

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Both Births, Deaths Increase In B.C. In First 3 Months

Slight increases in both births and deaths were recorded in British Columbia for the first quarter of 1948 over 1947, the division of vital statistics reported today.

Satistics released today showed that births for the first three months of this year number 6,053 giving a rate of 23.8 per 1,000 population. During the first three months of 1947 births numbered 5,884 for a rate of 23.5.

Deaths for the first quarter of this year totaled 3,059 compared with 2,516 during the corresponding 1947 period. The rate increased from 10.1 for the 1947 period to 12.0 per 1,000 population.

The marriage rate for the three month period is down 0.1 points to 8.3 per 1,000 population, 2,112 marriages having been recorded during the period this year compared with 2,101 during the same period in 1947.

A decrease in divorces in 1947 following big increases during the war years continued for the three-month period of 1948, indicating that the divorce rate will continue on the downward trend this year. The three-month total this year was 451. Last year it was 512.

Illegitimate births, likewise on the increase since 1939, show a further increase for the first three months of this year over the 1947 period. The total for the first three months of this year was 330 compared with 288 for the corresponding 1947 period.

Adoptions likewise show an increase, there being 142 recorded for the first quarter of this year compared with 118 for the first quarter of 1947.

With 192 infant deaths recorded during the first three months of this year compared with 203 for the corresponding period in 1947, the infant death rate was down 31 per 1,000 live births, compared with 34.5 for the 1947 period.

Maternal deaths numbered four for the first three months this year, compared with nine during the first three months of last year.

Today's Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL
1. 4 Pictured musician
9 He is a —— leader
13 Anger
14 Whisper
15 Century plant
16 Ocean
17 Tears
18 Mountain lake
19 Tailor
21 Is present
23 While
24 Medical suffix
25 Piles
28 Pucker
32 Also
33 Boat paddle
34 Crowd in
37 Emblem
39 Half an em
40 Hebrew deity
41 Splash
46 Strictly
50 Pork
51 Perfect
53 Armadillo
54 Mineral rock
55 English novelist
56 Tatters
57 Sty
58 Finished
59 Blackthorn

VERTICAL
1 Osculate
2 Extent
3 Time measure
4 African rug
5 Belgian river
6 Misdeed
7 Icelandic literature
8 Repose
9 Flat boat
10 Wolfhound
11 French department
12 Lairs
20 Pitch
22 Tilt
23 Observed
26 Unit
27 Augment
29 Stick
30 Droop
31 Before
35 Obtain
36 Whole
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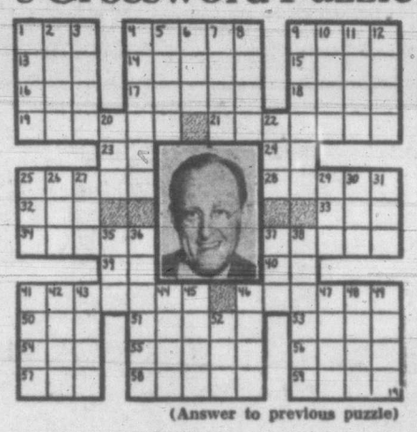

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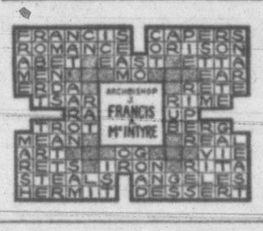

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No Two Signatures Ever Identical

Although a person's signature is his trade mark it is never written the same way twice, Henry B. MacLean, author of the MacLean method of writing, who for 25 years has served in this province as an examiner of questioned documents, told a joint meeting of the Victoria and Vancouver Kiwanis Clubs at a luncheon meeting Tuesday in the Empress Hotel.

"No person ever signs his name exactly the same," Mr. MacLean said. "When signatures do turn up exactly the same, we become suspicious. For this is the hallmark of a forger."

With the use of slides, the speaker explained flaws in various forgery cases. Retouching a signature, pausing while writing it and the way the pen is held by the writer all leave tell-tale marks, he noted.

Mr. MacLean's address was given as part of a program arranged by the Vancouver Club. Lorne Daly, tenor, was also heard.

The meeting marked the first 1948 joint meeting of the Victoria and Vancouver clubs. Frank Sparling, chairman of the Vancouver interclub committee, was program chairman. Lyall Barr, president of the mainland club, was leader of the visiting delegation consisting of some 50 members.

Mayor Percy George welcomed the group.

"We in Victoria and on Vancouver Island could not get along as we do, if it were not for Vancouver," the mayor noted.

Buckingham Theatre tonight

CJVI 6.30 - 7.00 p.m.

it's "Curtain Time"

Magnificent Ends Flying Trials

BELFAST (CP)—The new aircraft carrier Magnificent, built for the Royal Canadian Navy, arrived Tuesday from Portsmouth, where she had been undergoing flying trials. Tests included take-offs and landings on the flight deck and catapult launchings.

The vessel now is preparing to sail for Canada.

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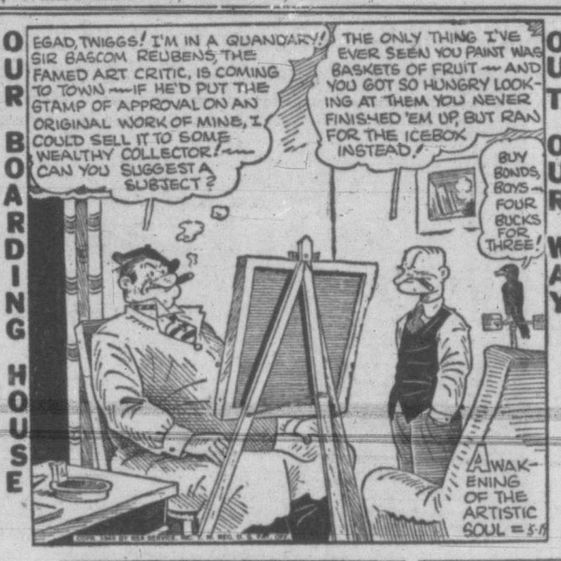

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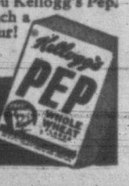

The crisp whole wheat that's good to eat!

Vancouver Symphony Re-engages Singer

VANCOUVER (CP) — A. E. Grauer, president of the Vancouver Symphony Society, has announced Jacques Singer has been re-engaged as musical director of the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra. Mr. Singer will return from New York in September and direct the first concert Oct. 10.

Minimum salary for the musicians this year will be $50 instead of the $40 a week as previously. Average salary will be $60.

YORK THEATRE

Samuel Goldwyn's handsome star will be seen in support of Miriam Hopkins in "Splendor" at the York Theatre. David Niven came to Hollywood from England to visit Merle Oberon and other old friends, met Goldwyn and was launched on a screen career. Merle Oberon coached him for his screen test.

2 Warner Pictures Form Double Bill

Two Warner Bros.' re-releases, "Pride of the Bluegrass" and "It All Came True," form the new double bill which starts a return engagement today at the Atlas Theatre.

Starred in "Pride of the Bluegrass" is Gantry, the famous blind horse who, with the help of his two friends, played by Edith Fellows and James McCallion, wins the Grand National Steeplechase.

"It All Came True" stars Humphrey Bogart and Ann Sheridan.

RIO THEATRE

Harry Segall, who wrote the original story of Charles R. Rogers' current hit, "Angel On My Shoulder," which is at the Rio Theatre, starring Paul Muni, Anne Baxter and Claude Rains, is also the author of the prize-winning film "Here Comes Mr. Jordan," in which Mr. Rains played the title role.

CAPITOL THEATRE

If Charles Laughton ever decides he's had enough of picture-acting, he could probably walk into any night club in the country and get work doing impersonations.

This little-known talent of the famous screen "heavy" was demonstrated recently to fellow actors between scenes of Paramount's suspense drama, "The Big Clock," in which Laughton is co-starred with Ray Milland and which is at the Capitol Theatre. Laughton's imitation of a bilious cameraman about to photograph the screen test of a glamorous beauty had everyone doubled up with laughter.

Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—Humphrey Bogart and Ann Sheridan in "It All Came True."

CAPITOL—"The Big Clock," with Charles Laughton.

DOMINION—"I Became A Criminal," starring Sally Gray.

OAK BAY—"Notorious Gentleman," also "Tomorrow by Air."

ODEON—Margaret Lockwood in "The White Unicorn."

PLAZA—"Children of Paradise," starring Arlette.

RIO—"Angel On My Shoulder," starring Paul Muni.

ROYAL—"Night Song," starring Dana Andrews and Merle Oberon.

YORK INTERNATIONAL—"Splendor," starring Miriam Hopkins.

ODEON THEATRE

Tall, handsome and good-natured Dennis Price thinks that film producers must have a grudge against him. In his sixth consecutive film, "The White Unicorn," Dennis meets an unpleasant fate. He is killed while ski-ing on his honeymoon with Margaret Lockwood in Finland. This entertaining film is now showing at the Odeon Theatre.

Rubinstein Plays Himself On Screen

Artur Rubinstein, celebrated concert pianist and one of the great names in international music circles, performs in RKO Radio's "Night Song," portraying himself as a member of the cast headed by Dana Andrews, Merle Oberon, Ethel Barrymore and Hoagy Carmichael. In the picture he plays Concerto in C Minor, a modern composition by Leith Stevens, who wrote the score of "Night Song," now being shown at the Royal Theatre.

DOMINION THEATRE

Many of the major scenes in Warner Bros' sensational melodrama, "I Became A Criminal," which is currently at the Dominion Theatre, take place in, around and even on top of an undertaker's parlor. In the story, coffins come and go, but in place of corpses there are nylons, liquor, cigarettes and other loot, which reveals the haul of a black market gang operating in London.

Thomas Gainsborough, painter of the famous 'Blue Boy,' had sketched almost every tree and cottage around his home by the time he was 10.

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BIRTHS

BARBER—To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Barber, 2215 Florence Street, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on May 18, a baby sister for Diane.

DAVIDSON—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davidson (nee Isabel McAlpine), 306 Vancouver Street, at St. Joseph's Hospital, May 18, 1948, a daughter, a sister for Johnny.

HAEGERT—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Haegert (nee Gertrude W. Day), at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on May 18, a daughter, Sheila Ann.

TUPMAN—To Mr. and Mrs. Vern Tupman, 740 Middleton Street, at Royal Jubilee Hospital, May 19, 1948, Gregory Frank, a brother for Donna.

MARRIAGES

HINCKS-JOHNSON—Mr. and Mrs. Standfield Johnson, Moseley, Warwickshire, England, announce the marriage of their daughter, Elisabeth Standfield (Bobbie) Johnson, to Harold Oswald Hincks, Vancouver, B.C., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Hincks, Holmwood, Langford, V.I., B.C. The ceremony took place on May 15, at 8 p.m., in St. Matthew's Church, Langford, Rev. H. J. Jones officiating.

BEHNSEN-SHIPLEY—Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Shipley, 2020 Foul Bay Road, announce the marriage of their second eldest daughter, Margaret Bernice, to Christopher George Behnsen, son of Mrs. Hughes of Flood, B.C. The ceremony took place at St. Alban's Church on May 15, 1948, at 7.30 p.m., the Rev. Temalin officiating.

ANNOUNCEMENTS (Continued)

DEATHS

ARMSTRONG—On May 19, 1948, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Linda Elaine Armstrong, beloved infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth William Armstrong of 1421 Harrop Road. She was born in Victoria and leaves to mourn her loss, besides her loving parents, her maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McIntyre of Edmonton, Alberta, and her paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Davidson of Malahat, V.I.
Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. F. Pike officiating. Interment will be in St. Luke's Churchyard.

BEGLEY—Passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on May 18, Katherine Ellen Begley, beloved daughter of Sgt. and Mrs. Orville Begley, of R.C.A.F. Station, Patricia Bay, B.C., age seven years, and born in Halifax. Survived by, besides her parents, two brothers, George and Patrick, at home.
The remains are resting in the Memorial Chapel of Chimes of the Sands Mortuary Ltd., and will be forwarded on Saturday's boat en route to Regina, Sask., where funeral services and interment will take place.

BUCKLEY—On May 18, 1948, there passed away suddenly in this city, Mr. Herbert Buckley. The late Mr. Buckley, formerly of Maidstone, Sask., leaves to mourn his loss, his loving wife, Grace Linda; two daughters, Doris and Joyce, of 1270 Rudlin Street; also three sons, Arthur, Roy and Sidney, and one sister, Alice E. of Vancouver, B.C.; also three grandchildren.
Funeral service will be held on Friday, May 21, 1948, at 2 p.m. from the Curry Funeral Home. Dr. H. McLeod officiating. Interment at Royal Oak Burial Park.

COPELAND—On May 19, 1948, Mrs. Gertrude Amelia Copeland, in her 86th year, widow of Samuel Copeland, of 1649 Elgin Road; born in Liverpool, England, and a resident of this city for 30 years. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. Roger Peachey, and Mrs. W. M. Wiper, both in Victoria; and one son, S. G. Copeland of Smithers, B.C.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Friday at 1.15 p.m., Ven Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns officiating. Interment in family plot, Royal Oak Burial Park.

DOUGLAS—At the family residence, 1415 Cook Street, on May 19, 1948, Harry Edgar, age 72 years, beloved husband of Laura Douglas, he had been a resident of Victoria for 12 years. Surviving are besides his widow, at home; two daughters, Mrs. Grace Bebb, Victoria, and Miss Norma, at home. The late Mr. Douglas was a member of Camosun Lodge No. 60, A.F. & A.M. and the Knights of Pythias.
Funeral arrangements will be announced later by the Thomson Funeral Home.

GARNETT—Elizabeth Garnett passed away at King's Daughters' Hospital, Duncan, on Monday, May 17, aged 88 years. Born in Delaware, Ont., and a former resident of Mill Bay, she resided in Duncan for the past 26 years. She was the widow of the late F. W. Garnett, and is survived by one son, Grant G. Garnett of Mill Bay, and three daughters, Mrs. F. Frayne, Victoria, Mrs. L. Barry, Cobble Hill, and Mrs. C. Driver of Duncan; nine grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren also survive.
Funeral services will be held from Mill Bay United Church on Thursday, May 20, at 2 o'clock with Rev. Challis officiating. Interment will take place in the churchyard cemetery. The Hirst Funeral Chapel are in charge of arrangements.

HUTCHESON—On May 17, 1948, at St. Joseph's Hospital, William Hutcheson, aged 79 years, beloved husband, Margaret Josephine Hutcheson of 3810 Quadra Street. He was born in Victoria, and leaves to mourn his loss, besides his loving wife, five sons, Henry and John, at home; Bill of Duncan, V.I.; Teddy of 306 Kerr Avenue, and George of 831 Constance Avenue, and one daughter, Mrs. R. Hoae of Nanoose Bay, V.I.; also one brother, Henry Hutcheson of Cowichan Lake, V.I.
Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. E. Whitehouse, D.D., officiating. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

JONES—Passed away at Simms Avenue on May 17, 1948, Thomas C. Jones, late carpenter, C.N.R., Edmonton; a resident of Victoria for 13 years.
Cremation at Royal Oak. Hayward's B.C. Funeral Co. Ltd., directors.
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MANSELL—On May 18, 1948, at the residence, Alice Louisa Mansell, aged 80; born in Victoria. She leaves three sisters, Mrs. Edith Smith of Oakland, Cal.; Mrs. Pauline Middleton of Culver City, Cal., and Mrs. Lillian Brewster of Seattle; two brothers, James H. and Horace A. Mansell, in Victoria; two nephews, Stanley Anderson, Victoria, and Harry Brewster, Seattle; and three nieces, Mrs. Margaret Slater, Culver City, Cal.; Mrs. Estelle McGregor, Victoria, and Mrs. Elsie Thompson, Natal, B.C.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 1.30 p.m. Interment in family plot, Ross Bay Cemetery.

RICHARDS—On May 17, 1948, at St. Joseph's Hospital, John Douglas Richards, aged nine months, beloved infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas William Richards of 754 Kings Road.
Funeral services were held in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel on Wednesday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. Interment took place in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SPEEDIE—At Sidney, B.C., on May 18, 1948, Jessie, beloved wife of James Alfred Speedie, in her 62nd year; born in Scotland, and a resident of British Columbia since 1910. Besides her husband, she leaves two sons, John and James T., in Sidney; one daughter, Jean D. of Hilliers, B.C.; a brother in Scotland, and a brother in Nova Scotia; also a sister in Toronto, Ont.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 3 p.m., Rev. J. L. W. McLean officiating. Cremation.

STRACHAN—Mrs. Lena Coleman Strachan, passed peacefully away, at Victoria Nursing Home, Tuesday, May 18, 1948, aged 83 years. Born in Staynor, Ont., the deceased lived for many years at Trail, B.C., with her husband, J. M. Strachan, who predeceased her 35 years ago. When in Trail, the late Mrs. Strachan was very active in the work of the Anglican Church and was organist for many years. A resident of this city for the past 30 years at 24 Superior Street, the late Mrs. Strachan, owing to ill health, has been unable to take an active part in her church work in recent years. She leaves to mourn her passing, her sister, Mrs. A. B. Bruce, wife of Rev. Balfour Bruce; her niece, Mrs. Davey of 626 Moss Street, and a nephew, Dr. R. C. Fraser of Hollywood, California.
Funeral service from Christ Church Cathedral at 2.30 o'clock Thursday afternoon, with Rev. T. S. Boyle officiating. Interment in family plot at Metchosin Churchyard. The Curry Funeral Home in charge.

WHEELER—On May 17, 1948, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Miss Sarah Ellen Wheeler. She was born in Oldham, Lancs., England, and a resident of Victoria since 1917. She is survived by a sister and two brothers in England, and relatives in Victoria at 1605 Richmond Avenue.
Funeral services will be held in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel on Thursday afternoon at 3.15 o'clock, Pastor E. W. Robinson officiating. Interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

WHITE—At Royal Jubilee Hospital, on May 18, 1948, Dr. Stephen Albin Keene White of 668 Transit Road, in his 82nd year; born in Ottawa, and a resident of Victoria for 32 years. He leaves his wife; one son, Stephen Seymour White; one grandson, Stephen Searle White; one brother, E. F. G. White, all in Victoria.
The remains are resting at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Funeral service at St. Mary's Church on Friday, May 21, 1948, at 3 p.m. Ven. Archdeacon A. E. de L. Nunns will officiate. Cremation.
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Tonight

5.30—Record Club—CJVI. Club 15—KIRO. Destiny Trails—CKWX. Piano Melodies—KOMO. Art For Your Sake—KJR. Sports News—CJOR. Rosa Linda—CBR. Sagebrush Serenade—KVI. 5.45: News—CJVI.

6.00—Uncle Remus—KIRO. Note by Note—KOMO. News; Weather—CKWX. Current and Choice—CBR. Dick Tracy—KJR. Mayor of the Town—CJOR, CJVI. Music—KVI.

6.30—Chas. Collingwood—KIRO. Folk Tunes—KOMO. Sky King—KJR. Bob White Show—CKWX. Curtain Time—CJOR, CJVI. Song Festival—CBR. Captain Midnight—KVI. 6.45: Salute to B.C. Industries—CBR.

7.00—Your Song and Mine—KIRO. To You—KJR. Duffy's Tavern—KOMO. News; Sportsreel—CKWX. The Whistler—CJOR, CJVI. Gabriel Heatter—KVI. News—CBR.

7.30—Harvest of Stars—KIRO. Kathleen Parlow—CBR. Star Theatre—CJOR, CJVI. Hollywood Theatre—KOMO. Cisco Kid—KVI, CKWX. Vox Pop—KJR.

8.00—The Saint—KIRO. Old Songs and New—KOMO. The Lone Ranger—KJR. Music by Cloutier—CJVI. News—CKWX. Dick Diespecker—CJOR. What's Name Song—KVI. The Fire on the Snow—CBR.

8.30—The Whistler—KIRO. Mayor of the Town—KJR. Opportunity Knocks — CJVI, CJOR. Stop Me If You Have Heard This One—CKWX. Jimmie Durante—KOMO. The Fire on the Snow—CBR. Leave it To The Girls—KVI.

9.00—Dennis Day—CJOR. Supper Club—KOMO. Bing Crosby—CKWX. Orpheo-Gluck—CBR. Abbott and Costello—KJR. Personality Time—CJVI. Glenn Hardy—KVI. Lowell Thomas—KIRO. 9.15: Baseball—CKMO. 9.15: News of the World—KOMO. 9.15: Jack Smith—KIRO.

9.30—The Great Gildersleeve—KOMO. Go For the House—KJR. U.N. Today—CJVI. Fun Parade—CKWX. Orpheo-Gluck—CBR. Music—KVI. Dr. Christian—KIRO. Baseball—CKMO. Famous Mutinies—CJOR. 9.45: Ernie and Andy—CJVI.

10.00—News—CJOR, CKWX. Bing Crosby—KJR. Dennis Day—KOMO. Six for One—CJVI. CBC News—CBR. Think It Over—KIRO. Wrestling—CKMO. Baseball—CKMO. Fulton Lewis—KVI. 10.45: Night Editor—KIRO.

10.30—Beulah—KIRO. Close of Day—CKWX. Concert Hour—CJOR. Mr. District Attorney—KOMO. News—CJVI. Star Theatre—KJR. String Quartette—CBR. The Falcon—KVI. 10.45: Night Editor—KIRO.

11.00—News—KIRO, KOMO. News Doghouse—CKWX. Casebook—KVI. Guest Orchestra—CBR. Concert Hour—CJOR. Nash Kelvinator—KJR. Music by Starlight—CJVI.

Tomorrow

7.30—Morning Melodies—KOMO. News—CBR, CKWX, CJVI. "G-G" Man—CJOR. Rooster Roster—KIRO. Milkman's Jamboree—KJR. News; Sunrise Club—KVI. 7.45: Al Smith—CJVI.

8.00—Hi Family—KOMO. News—CBR, CJOR, CJVI, KIRO. Frank Hemingway—KVI. Rhythm Roundup—KJR. 8.15: Breakfast Club—CBR.

8.30—News—KIRO. Sports; Music—KJR. Breakfast Club—CBR.

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9.15—Comedian Abe Burrows makes second guest appearance on Jack Smith show—KIRO.

10.30—Mr. District Attorney investigates "The Case of Spring Fever"—KOMO.

Bob Nichols—KOMO. Billy Browne—CJOR. News—KVI. News and Markets—CKWX. Music of the Waltz—CJVI.

9.00—Fred Waring—KOMO. News and Bob's Inn—CKWX. News—CJVI, CBR, KIRO. Breakfast Club—KJR. Billy Browne—CJOR. Kate Smith—KVI.

9.30—Grand Slam—KIRO. Melody Makers—CKWX. Breakfast Club—KJR. Jack Berch—KOMO. Housewives' Hit Parade — CJVI. Easy Aces—CJOR. Laura—CBR. News—KVI.

10.00—Wendy Warren—KIRO. Katherine Wise—KOMO. News; Bob White Show—CKWX. Six for One—CJVI. Carl Trevers—CJOR. Ellen Harris—CBR. News—KJR. Glenn Hardy—KVI. 10.15: Ann Sterling—KJR. 10.15: Happy Gang—CBR.

10.15: Homekeepers' Calendar—KOMO.

10.30—Helen Trent—KIRO. Happy Gang—CBR. Town Crier—CJOR. Bob White—CKWX. News—CJVI. Tom Breneman—KJR. Say It with Music—KVI. Homekeeper's Calendar—KOMO. 10.45: Our Gal Sunday—KIRO. 10.45: Easy Aces—CJVI.

11.00—Big Sister—KIRO. Today's Children—KOMO. Galen Drake—KJR. Happy Gang—KVI. Make Mine Music—CJVI. Songs For You—CJOR. Kindergarten of the Air—CBR. 11.15: Ma Perkins—KIRO.

11.30—Betty Crocker—KOMO. Dr. Malone—KIRO. My True Story—KJR. CBR Presents—CBR. Pick the Hits—CKWX. Woman's World—CJOR. Richard Lindsay—CJVI. Queen For A Day—KVI. 11.45: Light of the World—KOMO. 11.45: Guiding Light—KIRO. 11.45: Betty Crocker—KJR.

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12.30—News—CJOR, CJVI. Stump-Us Boys—KJR. Nora Drake—KIRO. B.C. Farm Broadcast—CBR. Pepper Young's Family—KOMO. News and Ken Hughes—CKWX. Ozark Valley Folks—KVI.

1.00—Backstage Wife—KOMO. News—KIRO, KJR. Symphony Hour—CBR. Famous Voices—CJOR. Memory Time—CJVI. News and Music in the Air—CKWX. News—KVI. 1.15: Club Diary—CJVI. 1.15: Cecil Selly—KIRO.

1.30—Double or Nothing—KIRO. Symphony—CBR. Lorenzo Jones—KOMO. Paul Whiteman—KJR. Red, White and Blue—CKWX. Harmony Hoedown—KVI. Music Lovers' Corner—CJVI. Take It Easy—CJOR.

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2.30—Just Plain Bill—KOMO. Ann Sterling—KJR. Housewives—KIRO. Commentary and Talk—CBR. News of the Day—CKWX. Take It Easy—CJOR. Hollywood Favorites—KVI. Music Lovers' Corner—CJVI.

3.00—Road of Life—KOMO. Trail Riders—CKWX. Winner Take All—KIRO. Ethel and Albert—CBR. News—CJOR. Alexander's Mediation Board—KVI. Surprise Package—KJR. World's Great Voices—CJVI.

3.30—Off the Record—CKWX. Bride and Groom—KJR. House Party—KIRO. Divertimento—CBR. Empire Echoes—CJOR. Aunt Mary—KOMO. Devotional Period—CJVI. Passing Parade—KVI.

4.00—This Woman's Secret—KOMO. Meet the Missus—KIRO. News; Off the Record—CKWX. Ladies Be Seated—KJR. News; 900 Club—CJVI. Tony the Troubador—CBR. Fulton Lewis—KVI. Sweetwood Serenaders—CJOR. 4.15: Jack Smith—CBR.

4.30—Lora Lawton—KOMO. Arthur Godfrey—KIRO. Don Hardine Show—CBR. Welcome Travelers—KJR. Off the Record—CKWX. Club 15—CJVI. Big Sister—CJOR. Elbert Laschelle—KVI.

5.00—Orchestra—KOMO. Front Page—KIRO. 900 Club—CJVI. Club 15—CJOR. The Happy Time—CBR. Murals in Music—KJR. News and Jr. Radio Theatre—CKWX. Adventure Parade—KVI.

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HERE IS A DELIGHTFUL LITTLE BUNGALOW IN IMMACULATE CONDITION. Situated on a very quiet street north of the Avenue. The living-room is large and has a nice fireplace. Small dinette. Two very nice bright bedrooms. Three-piece Pembroke bathroom, modern kitchen with tiled sink. New wood and coal range included. There is no basement. Separate garage. Lot 50x120, with various fruit trees. This bungalow is in spotless condition, and is most suitable for a retired couple, or those who want a small place with no steps. Low taxes.
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OAK BAY HOME—Owner leaving for U.K. High grounds, prettily wooded in nice location. Near Monterey School. Six large rooms one floor, with den and fireplace in addition. Basement, furnace and separate garage. Over 75 feet frontage. Delightful garden with pool and oaks. May be bought furnished for $10,500, or unfurnished for $9000

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Sickness forces sale of this architect-designed semi-bungalow with a grand panoramic view from every window. Entrance hall, large living-room with fireplace, guest-size dining-room, kitchen wired for range, and nook, spacious master bedroom with private bathroom on main floor, two bedrooms and full bathroom upstairs, also sleeping porch. Oak floors in new condition piped heat to all rooms, laundry trays in basement, separate garage. Attractive garden affords privacy. Handy to transportation. Approx. seven years old. Immediate possession.
Asking **$12,600**

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This is not a modern home but it is in sound condition, well situated and could be used as a two-family dwelling. Entrance hall, comfortable living-room with fireplace, large dining-room with beamed ceilings and heavy oak floors, kitchen, gas range and water heater included. Three good-size bedrooms upstairs and bathroom. Full basement. Automatic piped hot-air heat. Early possession and terms. Asking **$7500**

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HOT-WATER HEATING

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WITHIN A STONE'S THROW OF THE SEA—A very lovely family home of seven rooms. Wide reception hall, large living-room with open fire, family-size dining-room, modern kitchen, one bedroom and four-piece bathroom down; three nice bedrooms and three-piece bathroom up. Full basement, Oil-O-Matic heating. Lovely property with a separate garage, magnificent view. Oak floors, copper piping, gas laid on. This home is N.H.A. built, seven years ago. Quick possession. Some terms if desired.
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OAK BAY
NEAR THE SEA

FIVE-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW—A grand location, near stores, beach and bus. Nice living-room, dining-room, kitchen, two bedrooms, basement, furnace, laundry tubs, garage. A beautiful garden, many fruit trees, small fruits, vegetables, plenty of everything. Wired for electric range. Property is fenced. Clear title, reasonable taxes. Early possession. Bargain. Price is **$10,500**
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Near Windsor Road. Glass stucco, five-room bungalow. H.W. floors throughout. Very modern kitchen, with many built-ins. Two large bedrooms, four-piece bath, Oil-O-Matic heat. Full cement basement, with drive-in garage, double lot with shrubs and lawn. Built five years ago. Very new condition. Terms may be arranged.
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Eight-room house, five rooms and bath on main floor with basement, fireplace, etc. Close in.
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Four rooms and dinette, with basement, furnace and garage. Large lot with garden planted. Spotless condition.
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Six-room bungalow, basement, furnace, fireplace, etc. Good garden and garage. Close to schools, stores and transportation. Immediate possession. Price **$5250**
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A good buy at **$7350**

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New five-room stucco bungalow, Durold roof. Living-room, open fireplace, dining-room, two large bedrooms, oak floors, cabinet kitchen, four-piece bathroom, oil heat, Venetian blinds. Taxes $48. Nice lot, located close to beach and stores, transportation passes the door. Immediate possession. TERMS. Selling for **$7750**

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Recently redecorated and ready to move into.
Approximately $2,500 will handle.
PRICE **$5000**

OAK BAY
Just off Beach Drive on Estevan Ave. Seven-room semi-bungalow. Five rooms on the main floor and two bright bedrooms upstairs. In excellent condition, containing all the desirable features, such as through hall, oak floors, tile sink and modern plumbing fixtures. Full basement, drive-in garage, hot-air furnace piped to all rooms. Neat, well-stocked garden.
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Stucco bungalow on sea front property, comprises three lots with a frontage of 120 feet, excellent view over the Straits. Living-room with fireplace; square hall leading to two bedrooms; good kitchen; cupboards.
Full basement, has finished room. Storage. Hot-air heating and garage.
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CHOICE OAK BAY BUNGALOW
CLOSE TO SEA **$11,750**

An excellent home in a very choice location. Living-room with fireplace, dining-room, large modern kitchen, four-piece Pembroke bathroom, two large bedrooms with large closets, concealed stairway to one very nicely finished room and space for an additional room up. Full cement basement, room for two cars, piped furnace, laundry, fruit room, lane at rear. Very nice landscaped lot, vegetable garden. This is very good property, nicely located and the entire property is in the very best condition. Immediate possession.

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A well planned four-room stucco bungalow (seven years old). Entrance hall, large living-room, open fireplace, two good-size bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, cabinet kitchen, tile sink, full cement basement hot-air piped furnace, copper piping, drive-in garage. Possession in two weeks. Terms.
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TWO-MILE CIRCLE
Three bedrooms in this lovely shake bungalow, just 12 months old. Living-room with circulating fireplace. Hardwood floors. Cabinet kitchen. Utility and attached garage. Large lot. Quick possession. Terms.
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May 14th, 1948.

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Municipal Hall,
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May 14, 1948.

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'State Of Union' Special Preview At Capitol Today
A romantic comedy built around a presidential candidate in the United States proved full-bodied entertainment fare at the Capitol Theatre this morning, where manager J. M. Robertson held a special preview showing of the film "State of the Union," which as a New York play, won the celebrated Pulitzer Prize award.

Starring Spencer Tracy and Katharine Hepburn as Grant Matthews, the candidate, and his wife and directed by Frank Capra "State of the Union" takes the audience behind the political and domestic scene of a forthcoming presidential election. Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and Liberty Films presented the picture.

Effective in a very different role is Van Johnson as the glib-tongued, dynamic columnist turned political press agent. Angela Lansbury, another English recruit for Hollywood, portrays the role of Kay Thorndyke, the brilliant but domineering daughter of the publisher of the Thorndyke newspaper chain who inherits her father's newspaper empire and proceeds to back Tracy for the presidency.

Adolphe Menjou turns in his usual smooth performance as the conniving political campaign manager who remarks: "Of course there's a difference between the Democratic and Republican parties; they're in and we're out."

Written by Howard Lindsay and Russel Crouse with the screen play by Anthony Veiller and Myles Connolly, "State of the Union" is a timely as well as entertaining film. The supporting cast including Lewis Stone, Howard Smith, Raymond Walburn and Pierre Watkin handle their roles well.

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Permits were issued for the demolition of two houses and construction of two.

The two to be torn down are at the rear of 937 St. Charles Street and at 737 Fisgard Street.

Building permits were issued to C. E. Cooper for a $5,000 four-room dwelling to be built at 1536 Myrtle Street, and to H. Gerrard for a $5,400 four-room house at 151 Joseph Street.

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Creditors and others having claims against the above estate are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned Executor on or before the 16th day of June, A.D. 1948, after which date the estate's assets will be distributed, having regard only to claims of which the Executor shall have received notice.

Probate of the Will of the above named deceased was issued by the Victoria Registry of the Supreme Court to The Canada Trust Company, the Executor therein named on the 20th day of April, 1948.

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Canadian Issues Make Gains

NEW YORK (AP) — Demand for oil issues dominated a wavering stock market today. The market as a whole tried a mid-morning dash into higher price ground but the attempt was a failure.

Volume expanded when the market started ahead but later dwindled.

Canadian issues were mostly higher after yesterday's losses. Distillers Seagrams gained ⅜. Canadian Pacific added ¼. Dome mines was up ⅛. Hiram Walker continued to drop with a loss of ⅝.

Dow Jones closing averages:

30 industrials	188.28, off 0.28
20 rails	61.31, up 0.06
15 utilities	35.51, off 0.05
65 stocks	69.93, off 0.06

Total sales, 1,850,000.

Standard Oil California	69-7
Standard Oil New Jersey	79
Sears Roebuck	41-1
Sinclair Oil	26-7
Socony Vacuum	19-7
Southern Pacific	58-6
Southern California Edison	29-4
Texas Corp.	63-3
Union Carbide	41-3
Union Pacific	187
United Aircraft	30-1
U.S. Steel	79-1
Hiram Walker G. & W.	26-5
Westinghouse Electric	31-2
Woolworth	48

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	Closing Bid
Allied Chemicals	195
American Can	88-6
American Tobacco	60
American Smelter	61-1
American Tel. and Tel.	156-6
Anaconda Copper	39-2
Atchison Topeka	113-1
B. and O. Railway	15-6
Bethlehem Steel	35-7
Canadian Pacific Railway	18
C. and O. Railway	49-2
Chrysler xd.	60
Con. Edison	24-1
Du Pont	180-4
Eastman Kodak	44-7
Erie Railroad	14-2
General Foods	39-6
General Electric	39-2
General Motors	58-5
Goodyear Tire	46-4
Great Northern	49-5
Inter. Harvester	98
Inter. Nickel	31-4
Johns-Manville	41
Kennecott Copper	57-2
Loew's Theatre	19-6
New York Central	17-2
Norfolk and Western	58
Northern Pacific	25-6
Pacific Gas Electric	35-3
Pennsylvania Railroad	20-3
Pepsi Cola	18-5
Procter & Gamble	67-4
Public Service New Jersey	23-5
Republic Steel	29
Schenley Distillers	32-6

Vancouver Stocks

Vancouver averages:

20 golds	44.18, off 0.20
10 base metals	122.44, off 0.02
15 oils	204.19, up 4.04

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS—		
Anaconda	12¾	12⅞
Anglo-Canadian	293	295
Atlantic	32	33
A.P. Con.	19	22
British Dominion	31	32
C. and E. Corp.	705	710
Calmont	55	58
Calmont Leduc	21½	—
Central Leduc	36	38
Commoil	35	—
Commonwealth	51	60
Dalhousie	47	51
East Leduc	43½	45
Foothills	300	—
Highwood Sarcee	10½	—
Home Oil	915	925
Leduc West	100	105
Mercury	13½	14
McDougall Segur	11	11¼
Model	27	28
National Pete.	24	28
Okalta	162	165
Globe	72	74
Pacific Pete.	122	124
Royal Canadian	10½	—
Vanalta	16	16½
Vulcan	25	—
Sunset	8	8½
Superior	30	—
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	4	5
Bralorne	910	—
Bridge River Con.	2½	4
B.R.X. (1935)	—	7
Canusa Cariboo	13¾	—
Cariboo Gold	164	165
Congress	3½	—
George Copper	10¾	15
Golconda	8	—
Grandview	21	25
Grull Wihksne	4	—
Hedley Mascot	—	52
Highland Belle	71	72
Island Mountain	110	115
Minto	1½	—
Pacific Nickel	9¾	10
Pend Oreille	430	450
Pioneer Gold	300	310
Premier Border	3½	—
Privateer	20	22
Quatsino Copper	—	9
Reeves McDonald	200	215
Reno Gold	3½	—
Salmon Gold	15½	—
Sheep Creek	108	112
Silbak Premier	36	39
Silver Ridge	18	20
Taylor Bridge	40	50
Utica	16	16½
Wellington	2	3
INDUSTRIALS—		
B.C. Forest Products	4¾	—
B.C. Turf	70	80
Canadian Western Lumber	4¾	450
Capital Estates	910	950
Coast Breweries	325	330
H. R. MacMillan A	1000	—
Do. B	800	850
Pacific Coyle	80	100
Powell River	—	4400
Westminster Paper	1900	—

Egg Prices

The following egg prices are now in effect:

To producers—	
Grade A large	36½c
Grade A medium	34½c
Pullets	30c
Grade B	28c
Wholesale price to retailers—	
Grade A large	43c
Grade A medium	41c
Pullets	36c
Grade B	34c

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Home Oil Records Gain Of 25 Cents

MONTREAL (CP) — Narrow gains and losses were about evenly distributed among selected industrials in quiet trading up to the final hour on the Montreal Stock Exchange and curb market today.

Home Oil added 25 cents but Calgary and Edmonton eased a similar amount in oils. Consolidated Homestead rose a fraction of a cent.

Montreal averages:

20 industrials	134.20 unchgd.
10 utilities	75.70, off 0.80
30 combined	114.70, off 0.20
10 pulp, paper	378.74, up 0.32
15 golds	64.55, up 0.05

Total sales, 192,800.

(By James Richardson & Sons)

	Bid	Asked
Can. Invest. Fund	—	525
Can. Bank of Com.	22¼	22½
Bank of Montreal	—	25⅝
Bank of N.S.	35¼	—
Royal Bank	25	25¼
Bank of Toronto	35	—
Abitibi com.	18½	18⅝
Do pfd.	20⅞	21
Algoma Steel	53	55
Aluminum pfd.	24	25
Asbestos Corp.	28½	28¾
Atlas Steel	12⅝	13½
Bathurst A	21¼	21¾
Bell Telephone	—	164½
Brazilian Tract.	21⅝	21⅞
Br. Amer. Oil	24¼	25
B.C. Power A	26	26½
Building Prod.	33¼	34
Bruck Mills	30	31
Bulolo Gold	15½	16½
Can. and Dom. Sugar	16½	17½
Can. Malting	48⅝	50¼
Can. Nor. Power	10	10¼
Can. Steamships com.	13¼	14
Do pfd.	40¼	41
Can. Cement	22	22½
Can. Breweries	22⅝	22½
Can. Bronze com.	43	44½
Can. Car and Foundry com.	13	13¾
Can. Celanese	79	81½
Can. Dredge and Dock	21½	22
Can. Indus. Alcohol	13¼	13¾
Can. Locomotive	27	28½
Canadian Pacific Railway	20¾	21
Can. Vickers com.	—	39½
Cockshutt Plow	14	14¾
Comm. Alcohol	6	6¼
Cons. Paper	20¾	20¾
Consumers Glass	37½	38
Crown Cork and Seal	37	38½
Distillers Seag.	21⅝	21½
Dom. Bridge	32½	33
Dom. Engineering	43	43½
Dom. Fdries and Steel	—	26¾
Dom. Oilcloth and Lin.	39	39½
Dom. Woolens	14½	15
Dom. Steel and Coal B	18½	—
Dom. Stores	25¼	26
Dom. Tar and Chem.	27	27¾
Dom. Textile	12⅝	13
Donna. Paper	22¾	23¾
Dryden Paper	26	28½
Eddy Paper	—	29⅞
Fairchild Aircraft	90	125
Fanny Farmer	45	46¼
Fleet Aircraft	2⅝	3
Ford of Can. A	25½	26
Foundation Co.	24	24¾
Fraser Co. V.T.	50	59⅞
Gatineau Power	19	19½
Gen. Steel Wares	15½	15¾
Gypsum Lime	16½	16¾
Hamilton Bridge	9	9¼
Howard Smith	34	34½
Imperial Oil	18½	18¾
Indus. Accept.	39½	40
Int. Bronze Pwdr.	11	12
Int. Nickel	36½	36¾
Int. Paper	66	66½
Intl. Pete.	13¾	13⅞
Jamaica P.S.	13	13½
Lake of Woods	29	29½
Lowney, Walter M.	15	15¾
Maple Leaf com.	13¾	14¼
Massey Harris com.	19⅝	20
Do pfd.	29½	29½
McColl Front. com.	15¾	15⅞
Minn. and Ont. Paper	27	27½
Mitchell, Robt.	20	20½
Molsons Brew.	37½	38
Moore Corp.	—	73¾
National Brew.	40	40¼
National Drug	12	13
Nat. Steel Car	24½	25
Ogilvie Flour	27½	28
Page Hersey	35½	36
Penmans Ltd.	65	67
Powell River	43½	43¾
Power Corp.	16½	16¾
Price Bros.	66	67
Quebec Power	—	17¼
St. Law. Corp. pfd.	—	42¾
St. Law. Paper pfd.	126	127
Sicks' Breweries	15½	15¾
Southam Co.	19	20
South Can. Pwr.	—	18
Standard Chem.	8	8¼
Steel of Can.	79	80
Taylor P. & C. com.	4¾	5
Do pfd.	10	10¼
United Steel	—	7⅞
Walker Gooderham com.	30¼	30½
Westeel Prod.	32	33
Winnipeg Electric com.	25⅝	26

Grain

WINNIPEG (CP) — May oats reached a new high in an active session on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today. There were large shipper orders in both oats and barley with offerings liberal at the highs.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Rye—				
May	—	—	—	477
July	—	—	—	366
October	205	205	204	205
Barley—				
May	124-7	125	124-3	124-6
July	117-6	118-4	117-3	118-4
October	106-3	107-3	106-3	107-3
Oats—				
May	96-7	98	96-7	98
July	88-7	90	88-3	90
October	80	8 1	79-4	81

Cash Grain Close

Oats—No. 2 cw. 98, track 85-7.
Barley—No. 3 cw. 146-6, track 114-4.
Rye—No. 2 cw. 479, track 391.

CHICAGO (AP)—A combination of heavy cash corn sales from the country and splendid mid-west planting weather knocked corn prices down a few cents today. Other grains held fairly steady. Soybeans and lard were firm most of the day.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	246-6	248-2	246-2	247-2
July	233	234-6	233	233-6
September	231-4	233	231-2	232-2
December	231-6	233	231-6	232-6
Corn—				
May	232-4	234-6	231-2	232
July	215	216-6	213	213-3
September	193-6	195-4	192-2	192-7
December	168-6	170-5	168-2	168-6
Oats—				
May	114	114-7	112-5	113-4
July	93-4	94-6	93-2	93-4
September	84-2	85	83-7	84
December	85-2	85-6	84-4	84-7

London Market

LONDON (CP)—British government issues went ahead on London Stock Exchange today on reinvestment of money from the Argentine rail purchases. Fair-sized buying orders were directed at short-dated securities and improvements of up to ¼ per cent were registered.

The long-awaited terms of the Anglo-Brazilian financial agreement are expected soon and Brazilian utilities experienced an active day.

Optimists were buying South African gold mining shares in the hope that the subsidy on gold, as offered by the Southern Rhodesian government to Rhodesian gold producers, would be copied by other governments.

The break through the Dow Jones industrial high did not encourage buyers of dollar stocks. In sympathy with the lower levels from Wall Street, internationals were lower with Canadian Pacific ⅜ off at 25⅜.

Trading in industrial issues remained small but prices were well held.

Closing quotes: Babcock & Wilcox 73s 3d (ex-dividend), Boots Pure Drug 52s 10½d (ex-dividend), Central Mining £19½, Consolidated Goldfields 63s 9d, Courtauld 40s 6d, Hudson's Bay Co. 92s, Imperial Chemical 49s 9d, Metal Box 99s 4½d, Mexican Eagle 16s, Rand Mines 130s.

Western Oils Show Good Gains

TORONTO (CP) — Markets here showed no apparent reaction to the federal budget announcement as trends were narrowly mixed in dull trading on the Toronto Stock Exchang today. Industrials and base metals were firm with golds easier. Western oils showed some good gains with several issues down fractionally.

Toronto index:

20 industrials	189.15, off 0.01
20 golds	93.65, off 0.03
10 base metals	102.40, up 0.59
15 western oils	45.33, up 0.91

Total sales, 811,000.

(By A. E. Ames & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
Abitibi P. and P. Co. Ltd.	18⅝	18⅞
Aluminum Ltd.	58	58⅝
Alumi. Co. of Canada 4% pfd.	24¾	26
Ashdown Hardware A	13⅝	14
Beatty Bros. com.	—	40
Bell Telephone	163½	164½
Brazilian T. L. and P.	21⅝	22
B.A. Oil	23⅞	24½
Do. pfd.	26¼	26½
B.C. Electric Co. pfd.	93	93½
B.C. Power A	26¼	27
Bruck Mills	29	29½
Building Products	33½	33¾
Burlington Steel	12¾	13¼
Canada and Dominion Sugar	15	17½
Canada Steamship Lines pfd.	40	41½
Canadian Breweries	22	22½
Canadian Industries Ltd.	21½	21⅞
Canadian Pacific Railway	20¾	21
Cons. Paper Corp.	20⅝	20¾
Cosmos Imperial Mills	29	29½
Distillers Seagram com.	21½	21½
Dominion Bridge	32½	33¼
Dom. F. and S. Ltd.	26¾	27
Dominion Stores Ltd.	25½	25¾
Ford A of Canada	25¾	26
Imperial Oil	18¾	18⅞
Imperial Tobacco	13	13½
Do. 4% pfd.	25¼	25½
Inter. Metal Indus. 4½% pfd.	99½	100
Do. Class A	30¼	30½
Inter. Petroleum	13⅝	13⅞
Loblaw A	28⅝	29
McColl Frontenac 4% pfd.	96	98
Do. com.	15½	15¾
Montreal Locomotive Works	17⅝	18
Monarch Knitting Co. Ltd.	15	15¾
National Hosiery A	12	12½
National Steel Car	24½	25
Page Hersey Tubes	35½	36¼
Powell River Co.	43½	43¾
Russell Indus. Ltd.	17¾	18¼
Shawinigan W. and P.	21½	22
Sheas' Breweries	10½	11
Sicks' Breweries	15¾	16
Simpson's Ltd. A	27½	28
Do. B	24¾	25
Southam Co. com.	19½	20
Steel of Canada pfd.	81½	82
Steel of Canada	79½	79¾
Union Gas	9½	9¾
United Fuel A pfd.	48	49
Walker G. & W.	30¼	30¾

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Akaitcho	.70	.77
Astoria Rouyn	.08	.09
Aubelle	.09½	.11¾
Aumaque	.17	.18
Aunor	3.35	3.45
Bear Exploration	.68	.75
Beatty	.70	.72
Beaulieu	.13	.14
Bevcourt	.36½	.39
Bidgood Kirkland	.18½	.20
Bobjo	.13	.14
Bralorne	8.75	9.15
Brouian	.28	.30
Buffalo Ankerite	1.80	1.98
Campbell Red Lake	2.75	2.85
Castle Treth	1.39	1.44
Canadian Malartic	.73	.79
C. and E. Corp.	7.00	7.10
Central Pat	1.27	1.30
Chesterville	2.39	2.40
Coin Lake	.21	.22
Colomac	.05½	.07
Crotnor	.58	.64
Cons. Smelters	114.75	115.50
Cochenour Willans	2.01	2.05
Conwest	1.06	1.10
Dome Mines	20.25	20.75
Donalda	.80	.83
Duquesne	.22	.24
East Malartic	1.60	1.64
East Sullivan	2.57	2.60
Elder	.50	.52
Eldona	1.23	1.25
Falconbridge	4.80	4.90
Francoeur	.09	.12
Frobisher	2.05	2.09
Giant Yellowknife	4.70	4.75
Gods Lake	.70	.72
Goldcrest	.13½	—
Golden Gate	—	.08½
Golden Man.	2.62	2.65
Harker	.07	.08
Harricana	.08	.09
Hardrock	.17¾	.18
Hasaga	.78	.80
Heva Cad	.12½	.13
Hollinger	9.35	9.60
Home Oil	9.20	9.25
Hosco	.34	.36
Howey Gold	.22	.26
Hudson Bay Mining	51.50	52.50
Indian Lake	.04¾	.05½
Inspiration	.35	.45
Inter. Uranium	.70	.72
Jackknife	.04	.05
Jason Gold	.13	.14
Joliet Quebec	.40	.42
Kerr Addison	13.00	13.25
Kirkland Lake	1.54	1.58
Labrador	5.75	5.80
Lake Duf	.03½	.04½
Lakeshore	12.00	12.25
Lamaque	5.50	5.75
Leitch Gold	1.14	1.18
Little Long Lac	.90	.98
Lingman Lake	.35	.40
Louvicourt	.66	.67
Malartic Goldfields	1.85	1.90
McDonald	.85	.90
McIntyre	59.50	60.00
McKenize Red Lake	.47	.52
McLeod Cockshutt	1.12	1.20
Moneta	.33	.36
Negus	2.46	2.50
Nipissing	.12	—
Normetal	2.25	2.30
Northern Canada	.43	—
Noranda	51.25	51.75
Okalta	1.58	1.60
O'Brien Gold	2.00	2.05
Orlac	.11	.12
Osiska Lake	.68	.73
Ogama Roc.	.78	.80
Pamour Porc.	1.25	1.30
Paymaster	.35½	.37
Perron Gold	.67	.70
Pickle Crow	2.25	2.30
Powell Rouyn	.60	.70
Preston	1.75	1.80
Quemont	13.25	13.75
Regcourt	.06	—
San Antonio	.43	.45
Sheep Creek	1.09	1.13
Sherritt Gordon	2.70	2.75
Sigma	7.75	8.00
Siscoe Gold	.42	.45
Sladen Malartic	.30	.32
Steeprock	2.15	2.16
Sullivan	1.30	1.35
Sylvanite	1.50	1.53
Teck Hughes	2.65	2.75
Toburn	.65	.75
Trans. Cont. Resources	.38	.40
Upper Canada	6.80	6.95
Ventures	6.95	7.05
Waite Amulet	7.00	7.10
Wright Hargreaves	2.70	2.75
Lake Wasa	.35	.39

Market Holidays

TORONTO (CP)—Markets will be closed Monday, June 7, the King's birthday, the Toronto Stock Exchange announced today.

This will give employees a three-day holiday as the exchange will also be closed Saturday beginning this week and throughout the summer months.

Preferred Stocks

(By T. H. Burns & Co. Ltd.)

	%	Bid	Asked
Abitibi ($1.50)	—	20⅝	21
Do. ($2.50)	—	—	39
A-C Tel. ($50 par)	4½	47¼	49
B.C. Electric	4	93	94
B.C. Telephone	6	116	—
Calgary Power	4	93	—
Can. Bread	4½	95	98
Can. Bronze	5	101	—
Can. Celanese ($1.75)	—	38½	39¼
Can. Utilities	5	100¼	103
C.W. Nat. Gas ($20 par)	4	18½	20
Dom. Malting	5	—	101
Donnacona	4½	98	100
Freiman	4½	90	92½
Gatineau	5½	108	—
G.S. Wares	5	102	104
Howard Smith ($50 par)	—	45¾	46¾
Lan. Tobacco ($25 par)	4	25¼	25½
Nat. Grocers ($1.50)	—	28	29
Ottawa Power	5	—	103
Power Corp.	6	107	108¾
Price Bros.	4	95	97½
Simpsons	4½	99	100
Standard Chemical	5	90	92
Geo. Weston	4½	99	100

Marine

Conduct Of Navy On Spring Cruise Praised In U.S.

Good conduct of crews of three R.C.N. ships during the recent cruise in California waters has resulted in a letter of high commendation from Maj.-Gen. C. B. Price, C.B., D.S.O., D.C.M., V.D., Dominion president of the Canadian Legion, to National Defence Minister Brooke Claxton.

The three vessels concerned were H.M.C. ships Ontario, Crescent and Antigonish. The Defence Minister has directed that the appreciation of his department be communicated to the officers and men of the vessels.

In his letter to Mr. Claxton, Gen. Price quoted from a letter he had received from the California command of the legion.

"The behavior of the crews while ashore was somewhat of a surprise to the civilian authorities who were worried because no shore patrols were used," the letter from California said. "Since their departure I have had some wonderful compliments from those in authority as well as residents regarding the gentlemanly conduct and high calibre of these men from the Canadian navy.

"They certainly made me feel proud to call Canada the land of my birth. The public opinion of Canada has certainly reached a high level with the citizens of southern California."

21 New Members For Yacht Club

Twenty-one new members to the Royal Victoria Yacht Club are welcomed to the club in new edition of the club paper "Wavy Bits."

The new members are: J. W. O'Reilly, Brock Whitney, W. G. McIntosh, C. L. Mitchell, C. W. Nicholl, W. M. Paterson, Gwen M. Harris, Harold Orr, J. F. Morrill, Mrs. Harland Knowles, J. A. Duff-Robertson, Lynn W. Morrill, Dr. W. E. Baker, S. H. Wallace, Dr. E. C. Hoodless, Dr. H. Maitland Young, Rob Roy MacGregor, C. C. Barman, J. A. Wallace, E. H. Kolb, Dr. D. Hewitt.

Yacht Races For 2 Classes Sunday

A race for C Class cruisers and Lightnings will be sailed from Royal Victoria Yacht Club to Sidney Spit Sunday afternoon. The race starts at 1 in the afternoon.

The William Head race for the Ben Temple Trophy, scheduled for May 29, is postponed due to the fact the Swiftsure race occurs on the same date.

Pleasure Towboat Launched In City

An innovation in the marine world is represented by the 26-foot Lady Logger, launched at the Outer Wharf this week. Locally built, the vessel is designed to serve as both a pleasure craft and a tow-boat.

Built by J. Martin for Norman Copley, the Lady Logger is powered by a 95-horsepower Scripps marine engine. For her working days she carries towing gear and is equipped with special rudder protection.

Ship Rams Dock

VANCOUVER (CP) — The 10,000-ton United States freighter James D. Lick Tuesday night escaped damage when she rammed into the north end of the Canadian National Railways dock while attempting to berth.

The ship's bow, however, ripped a 35-foot hole in the dockside, causing considerable damage. Force of the impact cut the C.N.R. water main and an oil pipe used to pump oil aboard berthed vessels. A fire alarm system was also touched off.

The ship had come from San Francisco.

Toronto Unlisted

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Advance	3	4
Bright Red Lake	2½	3½
Bravo	1½	2½
Cassidy	4	6
Craibbe	4	6
Columbiere	2	3
Harper	1½	2½
Kamlac	14	18
Lake Expanse	5	7
Lasalle	2	3
Mate	3½	6
Norcourt	3½	4½
Ortono	3	4
Pinnacle	1½	2½
Rand	4	6
Redwood	6	7
Rich Group	4	6
Salmita	6	8
Sunbear	8	10
Tiffany	1½	2½
Trojan	3	6
Walcoro	1	3

DIVIDENDS

Burrard Dry Dock Co. Ltd., class A 11 cents payable June 15 to shareholders of record May 29.

Colombia Still Unsettled, Says Victoria Witness

. . . eyewitness to Bogota disaster.

Conditions are still unsettled and martial law continues in Bogata, Colombia, according to Thomas Nisbet, industrial relations supervisor for International Petroleum Ltd., who has just returned to Victoria on three-months' holiday following two year's service in Colombia.

Mr. Nisbet today recalled the rioting and blodshed which followed the assassination of Liberal leader Jorge Elecier Gaitan in Bogota a month and a half ago.

The Canadian was down on his company's oil fields at the time of the assassination and did not reach the capital until four days later. From what he saw himself and from what he heard from friends, he has brought home a vivid account of the looting, arson and killing which raged through Bogota following the shooting of Gaitan.

Down at the oil fields, the Canadian heard the Liberal broadcasts over the seized government radio station calling on all Liberals to get out on the streets with weapons.

RELEASED 5,000 PRISONERS

The mobs broke into the police department and released nearly 5,000 prisoners, regardless of their political affiliation. The released prisoners burned all the police records, including those of the Canadians working in the county and Mr. Nisbet had to get a complete new set of papers made out before he returned home.

Raging crowds stormed church offices and burned up records dating back 400 years. This was a major tragedy as the church kept all vital statistics.

Trucks, loaded with barrels of gasoline, rolled down the streets and every so often the crowd would take a drum off and pour the gasoline onto streetcars, automobiles or buildings and set fire to them.

WOKE UP IN GRAVEYARDS

There was some rather macabre humor in the fate of rioters who looted liquor stores. Many ended up lying in the streets after their orgy and parties clearing bodies off the streets loaded some of the insensible rioters in with the bodies. Many of these unfortunates woke up in the graveyards the following morning, Mr. Nisbet said.

His opinion of the army was changed during the rioting. Called in to restore order, the army, which Mr. Nisbet had earlier regarded as a comic opera organization, did its unpleasant job well. The soldiers just moved down the street shooting down anyone ahead. It was brutal but necessary.

A 6 p.m. curfew was ordered and rigidly applied. Mr. Nesbit said that some laughed at the idea and paid no attention. Thirty-five persons who ignored the curfew were shot the first night.

The curfew is now at 9 p.m., but the Victorian said it was still rigid when he left a week ago last Thursday. Any Colombian seen on the streets after that time was shot at. Foreigners were jailed overnight.

Mr. Nesbit believes martial law will continue for some time yet, but expects to see the country in order eventually.

In reviewing the Colombia situation, Mr. Nesbit noted the Colombians take their politics seriously. It was his opinion that the main reason for the uprising was to sabotage the Pan-American conference in progress in Bogota at that time, and he believes this was achieved. Though the conference was continued to save face, very little was accomplished, he said.

Mr. Nisbet first went to South America with the oil company in January, 1947. During the war, he served four years with the R.C.A.F., returning to his civilian job in December, 1945, following his discharge from the air force.

CEMETERY SITE APPROVED

Setting aside of a one-acre plot for a cemetery near Hilliers has been approved by provincial order-in-council.

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

WHEEL-CHAIRS VS. PRAMS

TO ANYONE WHO HAS ever cherished the illusion that Scotland is peopled by a brave and brawny people, so strong and lusty that they live solely on porridge and haggis—flavored with an occasional "drappie"—so "sonsie" that they bare their knees to the chilliest blasts and expend their surplus lung-power in blowing the pipes, a pronouncement by a Scots official must have come as a great shock.

It was James C. Kyd, registrar-general for Scotland, who declared in Edinburgh a few days ago that, if present emigration trends continue, there will soon be more wheel-chairs than perambulators in that country.

And went on to support his gloomy picture by pointing out that between 1900 and 1930, the loss of population through emigration was nearly 1,000,000.

ALL YOUNG ONES

WORSE STILL, PRACTICALLY all those who turned their backs on their native heath were young men and women, and of them 400,000 went overseas. In the same period, only 175,000 English and Welsh people left their native lands for overseas, he said.

Apparently realizing what this revelation must have meant to his Edinburgh audience, Mr. Kyd tried to soften the blow by telling them that this proves that the Dominions are eager to receive Scots in large numbers.

'NOBLEST PROSPECT'

ALL OF WHICH SUGGESTS that the traditional yearning of the Scot for his ain heath as expressed in song and story has been a bit overdone, to say the least of it.

His heart may be in the Highlands chasing the deer, all right, as Rabbie Burns would have us believe, but his head and his hands and feet seem to be elsewhere, chasing the bawbees, judging by Mr. Kyd.

As to a Scot's prospects, the registrar-general's statement suggests that these have changed only in their direction since the early 18th Century when Samuel Johnson wrote:

"The noblest prospect which a Scotchman ever sees, is the high-road that leads him to England."

PUIR PROSPECT

BUT THE PROSPECT for the Scots who remain at home threatens to be a puir one, unless Mr. Kyd is just kidding us by his portent about the substitution of bath chairs for baby buggies.

If the Highlands are going to be peopled by feeble invalids trundled about in wheel-chairs, what is going to happen to the Highland Games, for instance?

Who is going to caper over swords and kick up spry heels in the Strathspey, the reels and other braw dances which make such demands upon wind and wigor? Who is going to skirl the pibroch—or whatever it is they do with such ear-filling effect? Can you imagine a wheezy greybeard in a bathchair piping anything but a Highland lament—and a puir, feeble one at that?

PROPHETIC, PERHAPS

AND WHAT IS GOING to happen to the banks and financial houses in the rest of the world if the supply of Scots dries up at the source, we dinna ken.

Mr. Kyd's pathetic picture almost makes me weep—and I am sure it will make brither Scots the world over wince. It almost seems as if Will Shakespeare was more prophetic than he knew when he made Macduff ask sadly, "Stands Scotland where it did?" and Rosse reply:

"Alas, poor country; almost afraid to know itself! It cannot be called our mother but our grave . . . where sighs and groans and shrieks that rent the air, are made, not mark'd.

To Visit Salt Spring Island

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They will spend the day on the island and voyage back on the evening ferry to return to Government House.

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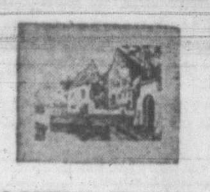

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